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By Jealous Husband

MRS W. S. HALPRUNER.

WILLIAM H. CHAMBERS.



EVANS ILL; REAR HARRIMAN DOWNS ADMIRAL THOMAS COMMANDS FISH IN LEGAL BATTLE

Four Armored Cruisers Reach
San Francisco From Magdalena Bay.

By Associated Press.

SAN FRANCISCO Feb 20.—The armored cruisers West Virginia, Maryland, Tennessee and Washington arrived here this morning from Magdalena Bay. The cruisers Colorado and Pennsylvania, which accompanied them up the coast but did not enter the harbor but proceeded northward to the Bremerton navy yard.

The big vessels are anchored near the bar ship Nebraska.

Fleet Off Callao.

CALLAO Feb 20.—"20 m. m.—The American battleship fleet has just been sighted off this port. The latest wireless dispatch from the Consul says Rear-Admiral Evans is still in poor health and Rear-Admiral Charles M. Thomas, commander of the second squadron and third division of the fleet, has assumed charge of the vessels.

At an early hour this morning the street cars coming into Callao were crowded with passengers who are eager to witness the arrival of the American warships.

Not Yet Advised.

WASHINGTON Feb 20.—While not formally advised by Admiral Thomas that he has assumed command of the fleet, the officials of the Navy Department were expecting some such announcement as that made by the press on the basis of preceding reports from the fleet on the condition of Admiral Evans.

The reports are not regarded as indicating that the admiral is suffering from any permanent incapacity, but that he is simply again a victim of rheumatism from which he has suffered for many years and which is diagnosed as the result of the injury he received at Fort Fisher during the Civil War. Before he sailed from Hampton Roads Admiral Evans was confined to his cabin and nearly all the heavy social duties incident to the gathering of the big fleet and its departure fell upon his subordinate admirals, although he directed nearly all of the details connected with his assemblage and the sailing of the fleet.

Condition Improved.

His condition improved materially on the voyage southward but prudence prevented him from accepting the hospitalities and numerous banquets tendered at Trinidad and Esmeralda. He did manage to get ashore one day at the latter port and was reported to have improved in condition when he arrived at Punta Arenas. Officers here familiar with the course of his illness fully expect that before the fleet enters Magdalena Bay Admiral Evans will again be in the position to draw personal attention to the progress which will take place there.

Wainwright to Command.

WASHINGTON Feb 20.—It is announced by naval officials here that Captain Bob Evans, after the fatalities in San Francisco, will be succeeded as commander of the fleet by Captain Richard Wainwright of the Louisiana.

Rear-Admiral Sperry, now commanding the fourth division of the battleship fleet, has been selected to command the new Philippine naval station on his arrival there. He will take the Kentucky, Kearsarge, Illinois and Alabama with him.

Altough Evans is slated for retirement August 8, it is said he will be relieved of command before that date.

Wainwright will take the fleet to Manila. After that port is reached President Roosevelt and Secretary Metcalf will say in what direction the Connecticut shall proceed but nothing yet is known of the destination of the battleships.

Breaks Shooting Record.

SAN DIEGO, Feb 20.—Wireless messages from Magdalena Bay state that the health of the fleet is good. The cruiser Charleston, flagship of Admiral Swinburne and his squadron has been breaking ice again. Last year at target practice the crew broke all previous records and this year they have beaten them selves. It is understood that for sub-alive records she has set a new record for the navy. The California and Idaho are expected to pass her in a few days.

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DIES

30 EXAMINED; MAN WOUNDED NOT ONE IS CHOSEN BY PHYSICIAN, EXPIRES

Alameda Gambling Case
Goes Over --- Justice
Tappan Has His Say

William H. Chambers who was accused by Dr. W. S. Halpruner of Elmhurst of having disrupted his home and he was shot six weeks ago by the jealous husband died this morning at the Hotel Brunswick, 11 Ninth and Franklin streets, from blood poisoning as the result. Mrs. Halpruner's desire of the shot that he received from Dr. Halpruner's shot gun month ago.

Chambers has been ill and in bed for two days and was treated by Dr. G. E. Kleeman. The physician found evidences of blood poisoning in the left arm of his patient and was hopeful of treating him successfully but yesterday symptoms of a most alarming character developed and Dr. Kleeman realized that there was no hope for Chambers.

Dr. Kleeman told Mrs. Chambers, with whom the dead man lived, that she must expect the worst. Mrs. Chambers at once notified Mrs. Halpruner of the impending fate of her son and last night Mrs. Halpruner called at the hotel and was with Chambers and his mother for two hours.

Mrs. Halpruner Arrives.

Mrs. Halpruner and Chambers showed every evidence of deep regard for each other. Mrs. Halpruner left the hotel shortly before midnight and went to the home of her sister Mrs. McDonald, at 507 Light street where she had been living since her separation with Dr. Halpruner.

Mrs. Halpruner said this morning that when she left Chambers' room last night she had no idea that he was near death. At 7:30 this morning she was notified by Mrs. Chambers that her son had been pronounced dead by Dr. Kleeman.

Mrs. Halpruner went to the hotel and there was a touching scene between the mother of the dead man and the woman whom Dr. Halpruner alleges loved Chambers.

Accuses Her Husband.

Mrs. Halpruner found Mrs. Chambers greatly worried and spent the morning trying to distract mother of the dead man. When asked as to the circumstances of attending the death of Chambers' M. Halpruner said:

Mr. Chambers died as a direct result of a shot put into his arm by my husband. Dr. Halpruner has suffered ever since the unwaranted shooting by Dr. Halpruner and though he has been attending his business regularly he suffered very greatly for the last two days. Yesterday he took to his bed and sank steadily until the end came during the night.

Case for the Coroner.

Dr. Kleeman who was attending him, was called in when Mr. Chambers' mother realized that her son was dead. Mrs. Chambers asked Dr. Kleeman to tell her the cause of death but Dr. Kleeman refused making the significant remark:

That is a question that must be decided by the Coroner.

The body of Chambers was removed from the hotel to the morgue and an inquest will be held probably tomorrow morning.

District Attorney Brown has been notified of the circumstances attending the death of Chambers and will take official action as soon as the result of the inquest is made known to him.

Dr. Halpruner Talks.

Dr. W. S. Halpruner was notified early this morning that Chambers had died during the night and that Mrs. Halpruner had made no effort to have the dead man removed to the morgue.

He added that Chambers had been suffering from a long time from kidney disease.

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COURT SIDES WITH RUEF AND ADMITS AFFIDAVITS

Among Them Is Rabbi Kaplan's On Immunity
Contract.

Judge Also Says It's Dr. Nieto's Duty to Make Affidavit Concerning
Midnight Conference With Prosecutors.

SAN FRANCISCO Feb 20.—At a session of the Superior Court which extended well into the afternoon Judge Lawlor today admitted into evidence the affidavits filed by the defense in the case of Abraham Ruef and overruled the objections of the prosecution to them. In addition to the affidavits filed last week Henry Ach leading counsel for Ruef filed and read with great dramatic effect the affidavit of Dr. Bernard M. Kaplan a Jewish Rabbi which shed more light on the immunity contract given to Ruef.

It developed that Rabbi Jacob Nieto after preparing an affidavit last night declined to sign it and swear to it. He appeared in court this morning represented by an attorney who stated that Nieto was not willing to make an affidavit and did not wish to be a voluntary witness for either side, but if ordered by the court would make a deposition or give oral testimony. Judge Lawlor declared that the court could not order Nieto to make an affidavit, but that it was the Rabbi's duty to do so.

For the first time for about a week District Attorney F. J. Heney and Special Agent W. J. Burns were in court, having been brought there by subpoenas issued at the instance of Ruef last night the intention of the defense being to put them on the stand and question them with reference to the immunity contract.

Heney and Langdon were early in the scene as was William J. Burns. Rabbi Kaplan and Nieto occupied the rear in back of the defense.

The proceedings were enlivened by a verbal war of words between Attorneys Ach and Heney and another between the court and Attorney Murphy.

Heney protested strongly against being forced to dance attendance upon the court, and with his usual braggadocio boasted that the District Attorney and his assistants (meaning himself) were busy with other graft cases and intended vigorously to prosecute them in several courts. He protested that the witnesses he immediately excused, but the court only let them off for one day, ordering them to appear again at 10 o'clock tomorrow morning.

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An effort was made by Attorney Ach to offer the affidavit of Rabbi Bernard Kaplan, but the court ruled that the other affidavit which had been heard

first and which was still pending should be brought up and ruled upon and the people given the opportunity of interposing any objections that they may desire.

Rabbi Kaplan's Affidavit

Attorney Ach began the proceedings by endeavoring to have the affidavit of

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SURROGATE COURT JUDGE FACES TRIAL FOR FELONY

Queer Financial Methods of Prisoner
Lead to Separation From Wife
and Family.

Judge Charles G. Ruef, formerly of the Surrogate Court of Kentucky and one time candidate for nomination for Governor in that State who was recently appointed on a charge of passing fictitious checks, was at the Bank of the City of San Francisco, 740 South street, appeared before Police Judge Smith this morning and his case was set for February 28 for hearing. The check was drawn on the Marin Bank and was signed in the name of H. E. Darr. Friends of the accused man are mystified over the circumstances surrounding the case and Richter refuses to enlighten them, declining to make any statement whatever in his own behalf or to divulge his actions.

Ruef has a law office in this city at 405 Broadway and resides with his wife and two minor children at Berkeley. For some time he was connected with the California Title Insurance and Trust Company in San Francisco and had been respected in business and legal circles. His downfall seems complete. He now has a dejected appearance and is reduced to poverty. His wife, Mrs. Ruef, has taken her two children and gone to the home of her relatives in Louisville, Ky.

Since Richter's arrest man slighter have been known on his past life. It is just developed that he had borrowed

\$600 from his wife which he said had been loaned on property in the Chinese quarter in San Francisco. She held a note for \$600 and paid his wife the amount before the note each month. He has admitted that the note was fictitious. He is said to owe over \$900 to former friends in Denver, Colo., and the police daily receive reports of complaints from his clients as to his shabby methods.

Ruef is a husband woman of Southern birth. She was readily admitted to the best social circles in San Francisco and Richter's wife claims the disrepute of her husband's acts. Richter refused to see her before her departure for Louisville.

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CROSSES PACIFIC TO WED CHILDHOOD SWEETHEART

BUT TWO GUESTS ARE AT WEDDING

Parents of Bridegroom Present When Belle of Sydney Marries Son.

After crossing the Pacific to marry Miss Maude Evelyn Matthews of Sydney, Australia, became the wife of Arthur Reece of this city in St. John's Episcopal Church yesterday afternoon, when the Rev. Father Edgar Gee performed the ceremony.

Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Reece, father and mother of the bridegroom, were the only witnesses of the ceremony.

Arthur Reece arrived Tuesday in this city. Arthur Reece has resided here with his parents for the past year. The young couple have known each other since childhood. Both are natives of Sydney.

Mrs. Reece is the daughter of Mrs. Eva Hill of Sydney and is highly educated along artistic lines. She was esteemed one of the most popular girls in Sydney, who is a quiet and winsome girl. She is a petite blonde and has a charming personality, which has won for her a number of friends since her sojourn in this city.

Arthur Reece is one of the most popular young business men in San Francisco and is a member of the Sons of St. George and the Masonic fraternity. He is well known in social and fraternal circles about the bay.

After a week's honeymoon trip to San Francisco they will reside in this city.

CALDWELL JURY GOES TO SCENE OF ARREST

The jury trying Frank L. Caldwell was taken to Second and Jackson streets yesterday to view the scene of Caldwell's arrest after the home of H. Bendell at Second and Jackson had been robbed. He is accused of committing burglary there in October, 1902.

Caldwell was arrested by Detective Hodgkins, then chief of police, and Detective Kite, after a three-hour struggle.

While awaiting trial in the county jail he escaped. A few weeks ago he was arrested on Broadway by Policeman McKeehan. His attorney, John L. McVey, tried twice to secure his freedom on writs of habeas corpus, but Judge Ogden denied them and he was forced to trial.

SAYS HER HUSBAND STRUCK HER IN FACE

Suit for divorce on the ground of extreme cruelty was begun today by Arthur Reece against his wife, Mrs. Brooks, conductor in the employ of the Southern Pacific Company.

Mrs. Brooks says that her husband tried to choke her and struck her with his fist. The pair were married in 1904 in Stockton and have one child, whose custody Mrs. Brooks asks the court to award to her.

Mrs. E. E. Shaw brought a suit for divorce against H. Shaw, Jr., on the ground of extreme intermarriage.

Judge Ellsworth granted Carl M. Hallgren an inter-custody decree of divorce against Christine Hallgren on the ground that she will reside in this city.

BURGLARS ROB SALOON OF MANY NICKELS

Burglars last night sawed out a panel in a rear door of Kromer & Gabellson's saloon on Seventh and Webster streets and stole many nickels. Nothing of value was taken.

Eric Dahlberg of 720 Fourteenth street reports that he was the victim of a pickpocket yesterday, a gold watch having been stolen from his pocket while he was at the Free Market, Fifth and Washington streets.

D. G. Morgan of 94 Webster street reports the theft of a black suit of clothes valued at \$10 and other wearing apparel from his rooms last night.

"LUCKY" BALDWIN TO FIGHT OIL TRUST.

LOS ANGELES, Feb. 19.—E. J. "Lucky" Baldwin, through representatives, filed a claim on 60,000 acres of oil land, fronting on the San Joaquin River, in the Malibu ranch, a few miles north of Santa Monica. He said that oil had been found at a depth of 450 feet and that he and his associates purpose forming a company to fight the oil monopoly.

MRS. ARTHUR REECE.



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TRIES TO BREAK JAIL; IS CAUGHT IN ACT BY JAILER

San Francisco Prisoner Had Two Saws in Possession.

(SPECIAL TO THE TRIBUNE.)

SAN FRANCISCO, Feb. 21.—Albert Rose, alias Albert Melrose, an ex-convict, who has served two years in San Quentin for burglary committed in Los Angeles, was captured in a bold attempt to break jail this morning by Sergeant Coogen, captain of the city prison, who heard him filing away his bars and subsequently found two drilling saws on his person. Last night a friend called upon him and advised him that he must discontinue his operations this morning, as he had been discovered by Sergeant Coogen, Rose had been discovered by Sergeant Coogen, Rose was locked into the dark cell.

CHILD CAUSES FIRE IN HOME OF FELTON TAYLOR

Infant Daughter Starts a Lively Blaze.

Fire in the residence of former City Treasurer Felton Taylor, 1563 Webster street last night, started presumably by the 4-year-old daughter, Margaret Taylor, playing with matches. A dangerous amount of smoke was extinguished by the chemical engine.

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PROFESSORS DIFFER ABOUT NEOGENE MAN

One Holds Humanity Existed Here in Tertiary Period; Other Opposes View.

BERKELEY Feb 20.—A large amount of evidence has been presented by Professor J. D. Whitney in his memoir on the Aurochs in Gravels of California in the effort to prove that man existed in this State a very early date. Many of the gravel deposits from which human remains were thus reported are quite old far older than any other formation known to contain traces of man. Whitney's evidence consists of affidavits, letters from persons who made the alleged discoveries. Some of the stone implements mentioned by him were secured by L. D. Vay and are now in the Anthropological Museum at the Associated Colleges in San Francisco. Of the human bones reported to be in the gravel, the best authenticated is the famous Calaveras skull, at present in the Peabody Museum at Harvard University.

Rock Types Compared.

Comparison is made as far as possible between the rock types represented by the implements and the character of the gravels from which they were supposed to have come. Many of these implements are made from volcanic rock which is not found in the Sierras. Nevada sand is the gravel from which they were reported to have been deposited. This indicates clearly that material of later date has been mixed with the old gravel probably during the process of weathering. The gravels in which the remains of man were found in the Aurochs are of the same character. This is further confirmed by the fact that those implements are of the same time as those used a few years ago by the Indian tribes in the Sierra Nevada.

The Calaveras skull belongs to the category of man remains reported to be in gravels being deep beneath lava flows. It is said to have been found in a drift of sand which was later washed out and covered with a large amount of so-called gravel adhering to it. This gravel resembles the gravel found in caves and differs from the gravels underlying Bald Hill. It is composed of worn fragments of limestone, bits of gypsum and small pieces of the shells of land snails.

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The association of material adhering to the skull is the same as that found in many caves used by the Indians for burial purposes. This may be regarded as evidence that the skull was probably not made from a cave.

It may have been placed in the shaft at Bald Hill in order to deceive the miners working there.

Residents of Angels Camp

who were in the mine at the time the joke was made to him about the Calaveras skull.

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Miss Elma Edwards (to left) and Miss Meredith, Who Will Appear in the "Trelawney of the Wells."



BIG INTEREST IN COLLEGE PLAY

BERKELEY Feb 20.—Unusual interest attaches in society and college circles to the coming performance of *Pinero's famous comedy Trelawney of the Wells* to be produced by University talent at the Macdonough Theater in Oakland on the evening of February 26. The production is to be given by two women's honor societies the Mask and Dagger and the Pythian for the benefit of the women's dormitory fund.

Miss Ethel Meredith who will play Trelawney enacted the leading part in "The Weaker Sex" the Mask and Dagger play last year. Miss Meredith played in the junior farce "Mikado" and made a decided hit as leading woman in the 1907 senior extravaganza.

Clever Cleopatra—Miss Elma Edwards who is to play the part of Imogene Parrott played the leading part in the 1908 junior farce.

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ALAMEDA BREVITIES

Improvers Meet Tonight.—The regular meeting of the Alameda Improvement Club is to be held tonight when the committee on incorporation will make its report. H. G. Mohrtens is chairman of the committee.

Meet to Discuss Plague.—A meeting of the Fifty Thousand Club, the city officials and the directors of the club, is to be held tonight at the city hall to discuss preventive plague measures.

Education Board Meets.—There was nothing but routine business transacted at the meeting of the Board of Education last night. Director A. J. Burger was absent because of illness.

Youth Arrested.—A. L. Morris, a driver for a Chestnut station grocery firm was arrested yesterday and fined \$3 for failing to hitch his horse.

Circulate Petitions.—The first of the initiative and referendum petitions calling for a special election to decide on the choice of playground sites was circulated this morning.

Two Bicycles Stolen.—P. J. Crane of 1314 Regent Street and B. Gore of 1702 Park Street reported to the police yesterday that their bicycles had been stolen.

Young Men's Club.—A meeting of the young men of the First Methodist Church is to be held next week when the organization of a Young Men's Club will be completed. At the meeting this week the following officers were elected: President C. C. Carr, secretary E. Crozler, treasurer C. Hughes. The objects of the club are to provide a gymnasium and reading room and social affairs.

Old Resident Dies.—John Bensing an old resident of this city and a man of considerable wealth died yesterday after an illness of a few days. Though he owned property and always had plenty of money he was an object of pity for the poor clowns were at all times. He was known to almost every child in town. He was a native of Germany, 60 years of age.

Liquor Cases Over.—Theodore Kosch, whose wife was murdered by a Machete last month, appeared in Justice Johnson's court yesterday to answer to a charge of selling liquor at his fruitvale store with out the necessary county license. There are two counts against him. John E. Leger, a former San Francisco politician, also appeared in court, but both cases were continued for a month.

Snediger Is Out of Athletic Game

BERKELEY Feb 20.—Ollie F. Snediger, graduate manager of the University of California athletes, will not be a candidate next spring to succeed himself.

This news will be quite a surprise to his friends and the athletes of Berkeley as Snediger has had the business end of the athletic game very successfully.

The reason that he will not be again a candidate is that he wishes to give more of his time to the study of the law, as he intends to go into practice as soon as possible.

TO TEST VALIDITY OF DENTAL LAW

S. C. Hornet, who was recently convicted for practicing dentistry without a license, has appealed the sentence passed under the recently enacted State law, which was signed into law a few days ago by Judge Samuel. His attorney, Austin Lewis, at the time of the trial, was taking the case to the higher courts on a point of habeas corpus for the purpose of testing the validity of the law. The conviction of Hornet was the first secured in this city under the new law.

Complaints of Boys.—C. Chamberlain of 2421 Ellsworth street has made complaint to the police of annoyance by boys of White school who annoy him by playing ball at the corner of Durand and Ellsworth. Chamberlain says the boys make too much noise.

SIGMA ZIS WILL VAT ON RODENTS

Society Outlines Campaign Wishes Better Sanitation at University

BERKELEY Feb 20.—The Berkeley Zeta Society, an honorary scientific society of the University, perfected plans and appointed committees last night at a meeting in the Faculty Club to lead the fight against rats and for better sanitation on the part of the State University. Dr. W. C. Morgan who presided called for subscriptions and the sum of \$325 was raised in a few moments. These subscriptions are to be supplemented by a general canvass of the University colony.

Three committees were appointed to carry on the work. One with Professor Dr. G. Hyde at its head will take immediate steps to investigate the action now being taken by the Federal State and municipal authorities

against plague with a view of determining its value from a scientific basis. A report of the findings will be printed. This committee will also undertake the supervision of all sanitary work undertaken by the University, particularly the overhauling of the grounds and buildings.

The other committees are a press committee with Dr. W. C. Morgan as chairman and a finance committee with Dr. T. A. Koford as chairman. The finance committee will form part of the general finance committee of the whole town.

BERKELEY BREVITIES

W.H. Talk Consolidation.—President El

Hill of the Oakland council will talk before the East Side Improvement Club at Emanuel Baptist Church tomorrow night in favor of a consolidation of all the cities in the region.

\$17.50, \$20.00, \$25.00

Awaken to Find Homes 'For Sale'

ALAMEDA Feb 20.—Residents along Pearl street between Elmwood and Central avenues were awakened this morning to find signs nailed to their houses and driven into their lawns. A report was made to the police and the authorities checked that the signs had been pulled from fences about vacant lots and had been strung along Pearl street. At one house four signs of different real estate agents were strung. The real estate men were the exclusive agents for the property. The police are attempting to locate the mischievous youths held responsible.

Some of the signs are as follows:

BERKELEY ASSEMBLY BRILLIANT FUNCTION

BERKELEY Feb 20.—The social colony of Berkeley was well represented last evening at the last ball of the Berkeley Assembly, which took place at Music Hall. The program was a combination of Japanese effects by Miss Grace Roberts. It was one of the biggest functions of the season and over three hundred guests were present.

Those present were Miss Henry Marthe, Miss Kate Hadiwood, Mrs. Selma W. Edworth, Mrs. Alexander Isenberg, Mrs. Warren Gregor, Mrs. Carl Plehn, Mrs. A. Pennoyer, Mrs. Henry Glass, John Gann, Mrs. W. Thomas, Richard M. A. Jackson, Mrs. Sybille Smith, Miss Charles Buttars, Mrs. Clifford Page, Mrs. Benjamin Lee Wheeler, Edward J. Wilson, Mrs. John Snook, Mrs. Adolph Miller and one or two others.

THE MEMBERS OF

The S. C. Club met yesterday afternoon at the home of Ernestine at her home on Fulton street and passed a fortnightly card session followed by light refreshments served by the hostess. The club is composed of twenty women among them being Madames B. E. Wilcox, Mrs. C. C. Tracy, Mrs. James Sloan, Arthur Frey, H. C. Tracy, Clarence Vincent, M. L. Rydon, K. A. White, Henry Avilla and as many others.

MISS CLARA EINHORN

A member of the Alpha Phi will entertain a party of eight composed of her sisters at a house party over the coming weekend. The girls will be made to visit Elmhurst's home in Santa Clara Friday evening returning on Sunday evening.

AN UNUSUALLY LARGE

Attendance of the members of the Hillside Club during the monthly social meeting held Monday night at the clubhouse. A short musical and literary program consisting of a violin solo by Miss Brigham, vocal solo by Mrs. Meland and a piano solo by Professor Leon Richardson. Life in Rome was followed by recitations and a most delightful social hour.

MRS. CHARLES COOKE

Miss Cooke, who recently

had an operation for appendicitis, is improving rapidly and will soon be able to remove to her home.

Miss Edwina Mastick, Who Will Wed Gerald Anthony

ALAMEDA Feb 20.—Dr. Rupert Blue

the government expert on the plague situation who was to have spoken at the Unitarian Club last night failed to appear but sent members of his staff to explain the conditions prevailing about the cities at the present time. Dr. Carroll, Dr. C. W. Vogel and Dr. R. H. Croel assistants of the head of the department spoke.

Dr. Vogel said in part:

"As far as I can make out, the plague has been made to appear in Alameda. It has been made a state-wide calamity on rats or a systematic examination at death and do not know for sure if you have infected rats or not. He made a pie that more interest be taken in the prevention of plague measures.

Urge Active Measures

Dr. Vogel told of conditions in San Francisco and stated that the State should enforce a quarantine against San Francisco health board and that the Federal authorities this month never have been so bad as to have never been made to come so low. It is to be hoped that the State will be affected and the entire State hampered. In this regard, the State should take more active interest in the extermination of rats.

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more active interest in the prevention of plague measures.

Declarer He Will Take Up Law as Profession

BERKELEY Feb 20.—Ollie Snediger

will not be a candidate for graduate man

ager of the business affairs of the stu

dents of the University after his term ex

pires this spring. Snediger has held the

place for the past two years and his dec

laration that he intends to retire comes

as a surprise. On the campus yesterday

afternoon he announced that he will de

sign his attention thereafter to the study

of law.

It is only a few weeks ago that Sned

iger announced that he would take up the

church as a profession and told friends

he would soon enter San Anselmo sem

inary with a view to being graduated as

Presbyterian deacon. It would seem

that he has changed his mind.

Snediger's intention of withdrawing

from student activities is positive. He

says:

"There is a whole lot of work connect

ed with the job and I must select a ca

reer. I have decided to continue the

study of law at which I have been en

gaged for two years. I will graduate in

another year and will settle down to

practice either here or in San Francisco

I have no idea who my successor will be

nor have I any candidate I would favor

for the place.

MISS LORENCE SPEAR

entertained informally this afternoon

at her home for an afternoon of con

versation and sociability.

DR. MASON SIGNED PROTEST TO LICENSE

Dr. D. Mason of Franklin did not

sign the application for a license to

Tepper's Garden in Upper Park.

It has been reported that he

FREE! FREE! FREE!

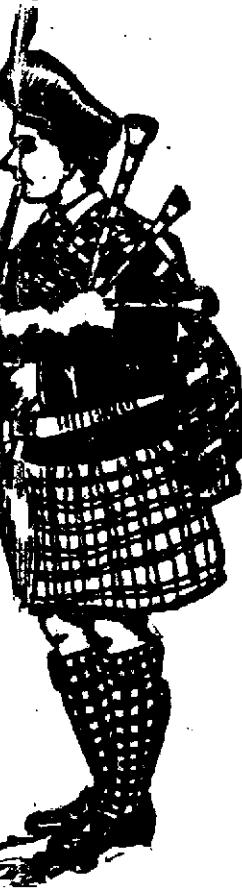
EXTRA! EXTRA! EXTRA PAIR OF PANTS GIVEN AWAY WITH EVERY \$15 SUIT OF CLOTHES MADE TO ORDER TOMORROW, ONLY, FRIDAY, FEB. 21st, UNTIL 10 P. M.

Closed all day, Saturday. We would have closed that sale last week, but the demand was so large from the people that want the Extra Pants, so we accommodate the public and make that sale for one more day. Remember the Pants is worth \$5.00, so your Suit made to order will only cost you \$10.00. Come early and take your choice of the fine, heavy weights that are left yet, as they may not last until evening, as we want to get rid of all our Fall stock, as our Spring stock has arrived and will be on display in the windows.

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Across the Footlights

FAMED 'PETS' OF POLLY PICKLES ARE COMING

Company of Clever Actors and
Actresses to Appear at
Orpheum.

When the limited train rolls into Oakland from the East next Saturday night, there will be on board the members of Joseph Hart's Pantomime Company, all headed to the Oakland Orpheum, where next Sunday the entire company will appear in what is called the greatest novelty in vaudeville, "Polly Pickles' Pets in Petland."

The initial appearance of this company on the Pacific Coast will be made on the stage of this theater on Sunday afternoon, February 23. Delightful news for the children and for all of the grown-ups who are still children at heart, is contained in this announcement of the coming of "Polly Pickles' Pets in Petland." There is a world of true fun, beautiful pictures, novel effects, exquisite music and a delightful strain of nonsense in this production of Joseph Hart.

The act has created a furor in vaudeville in New York, Boston, Philadelphia and Chicago, and constitutes one of the biggest importations of the Orpheum Company to this coast.

Fifteen in Act.
There will be fifteen principals in the production and the expense incident to bringing this feature to Oakland is apparent, when it is recalled that "Polly Pickles' Pets in Petland" constitutes but one of the eight features that make up the Oakland Orpheum's vaudeville program.

Some of Joseph Hart's most brilliant ideas, and all of his skill as a stage manager, are involved in "Polly Pickles' Pets in Petland." The act will go wild with delight, according to critics in New York and Boston, over the fun, and there is so much good music, beautiful costuming, and unique electrical effects that will please the people who will be shown next Sunday in the Polly Pickles' act an immense elephant, a parrot, the Teddy Bear, Peter, Paul, Paty and Philip, Pickles, and a number of other characters all contributing to the story, and the production, the musical numbers will include "The Dark Lantern Man," "The Feline Flirt," and "Has Anyone Seen Kitti Cat?"

Was in Floradora.

Edna Faule, the singing comedienne, will be one of the big attractions of the program commencing next Sunday afternoon. She has a budget of wit and will render them with her characteristic cleverness. Miss Faule is remembered by many as the ady Holroyd, the dazzling widow, and woman of the world in "Floradora" production.

A novelty troupe will be provided by the Pantomime Bros. They call their act "The Musical Flower Garden." From a variety of objects which are furnished to represent the products of a confectionary these clever Pantomime artists evoke mirth and show their cleverness as trained musicians and eccentric comedians.

MACDONOUGH

"Happyland" and "Divorcons"
Next Attraction at Theater.

When men who are experts in their line and who need not consider expense, attempt to reach the climax of gorgeness in the way of beautiful theatrical effects, it is safe to assume that the result will be one of the managers of "Happyland." Nor is the production the only expensive item to be considered for the company, including De Wolf Hopper, Marguerite Clark and many other hundred others. "Happyland" has been produced in several of the larger cities and has received the unqualified endorsement of both the press and public. It is an entertainment that has failed to build up any great reputation, and is to be produced next Monday night.

"Divorcons," the piece in which Grace George will be seen at the Macdonough the week of February 26, made such a hit both in London and this country. The play is by Victorian Bardou.

In only four of forty-seven occupations employing at least 5000 adult female bread winners to women constitute a male proportion than 5 per cent of the total. These four are barbers and hairdressers, laborers, merchants and dealers. There are 307,706 women farmers registered in the United States. 5.4 per cent of the entire number of farmers, yet this was sixth in the number of women actually employed.



"A PECK OF BUSTERS" AT OAKLAND ORPHEUM.

IDENTIFIES SUSPECT AS MILITARY CONVICT

Change of candy sale each week at
Keller's, 373 Twelfth street.

SAN FRANCISCO, Feb. 20.—James Johnson, who attempted to murder Police Officer Edward Mills Sunday, when Mills tried to arrest him, was identified by Detective Sergeant E. C. Gibson this morning as Albert Slocombe, an ex-soldier who was but recently discharged from a term in the penitentiary at Alcatraz Island.

HOME COUGH CURE

Go to your druggist and get one-half ounce Concentrated oil of pine; two ounces of glycerine; half a pint of good pure whisky; mix it up, glycerine and oil first, then add the whisky. Use in doses of a teaspoon to a tablespoonful every four hours, shaking the bottle each time.

The Concentrated oil of pine can be put up for medical use in half-ounce bottles enclosed in tin screw top cases which protect it from heat and light. If you do not find it sealed you know that you are not getting the real article.

There are also several patent medicines put up to resemble the Concentrated oil of pine, and called by similar names. This stuff should be avoided. The Concentrated oil of pine is the only truly good pine preparation known to science.

It also makes wonderfully effective liniment by putting a teaspoonful of the raw oil into a saucerful of hot lard. This is a good liniment for colds in the chest or sprains and bruises.

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"Cure While You Sleep."

**Whooping-Cough, Croup,
Bronchitis, Coughs,
Diphtheria, Catarrh.**

Confidence can be placed in a remedy, which for a quarter of a century has earned unqualified praise. Restful nights are assured at once.

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Throat Tablets for the
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10c in stamps.**

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J. T. MORAN

Same Old Corner---11th and Broadway

Serious Operation For Geo. Pettibone

BOISE, Idaho, Feb. 20.—George A. Pettibone, recently acquitted of the charge of completely in the murder of Governor Frank C. Carius, will submit to a serious operation at San Diego, Calif. It has been decided in order to save his life it will be necessary to remove one of his kidneys.

CLAIM TEAMSTER USED SHOVEL ON HIS HELPER

SAN FRANCISCO, Feb. 20.—John Cunningham, a teamster, was arrested by Policeman J. J. Crowley last night and his name placed on the detinu book

at the city prison, pending the result of the injuries to Francisco Cerceno of 2214 Precita Avenue, whom it is alleged Cunningham assaulted with a shovel earlier in the afternoon.

According to the story told by the victim, Cunningham had ordered Cerceno to help him load his wagon and when the latter refused, hit him on the head with his shovel.

Ask Yourself the Question.

Why not use Chamberlain's Liniment when you have rheumatism? We feel when this is used you will be prompt and satisfactory. One application relieves the pain, and makes sleep and rest possible. It has cured others, why not you? Try it. It costs but a trifling sum.

It costs but a trifling sum.

For sale by Osgood's drug stores, Seventh and Broadway and Twelfth and Washington streets.

"My Cake is Dough."
Did not use Sarry's Flour.

LADIES NOT SAVE 25% WHY ON YOUR SPRING DRESS HAT

We are showing an immense variety of elegant DRESS HATS of all the latest shapes. FOR FRIDAY WE HAVE AN EXTRA VALUE

**Reg. \$6.50 Trimmed Hats \$4.75
LATEST FASHIONS**

Fresh from our work-rooms, in Leghorn, Tuscan and Coarse Braid Straws, in plain and colors. Also Flowered Turbans, trimmed with dainty clusters of roses, daisies, foliage, forget-me-nots, etc., and silk and braided bows. COME AND SEE HOW EASY IT IS TO SAVE 25 PER CENT.

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Pablo
4 Doors from 16th St.
Opp. Recycle Shop**

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IF YOU WANT TO SEE THE MOST UP-TO-DATE IDEAS OF WHAT GENTLEMEN ARE WEARING TODAY, SEE

Moran's Spring Display of Suits

Especially would we mention
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\$25.00 to \$40.00

...They're fully equal in quality of fabric, and superior in workmanship, trimmings and style to the suit-to-order at one-third more money. See if this is not true.

TOO LATE TO CLASSIFY

WANTED—An unfurnished room with small kitchen for mother and daughter; not to exceed \$10. Box 3500, Tribune.

LOST—Female English bulldog, brindle; white muzzle and paws, white tip on tail. Return to 1167 Jackson st.; reward.

AUTOMOBILE auction tomorrow, Friday, at 1 p. m., 204 Telegraph ave. J. A. Munro, Auctioneer.

A daughter was born to Mr. and Mrs. Maurice A. Owens, of this city, on February 11th.

CORSETS! CORSETS!

Specials for Friday Only

SATURDAY WE CLOSE ALL DAY



25 doz. same style as cut, one of our latest high bust shapes, 14½ inch back, made of sateen and white batiste, boned with rust-proof boning. Hose supporters attached, sizes 18 to 30, regular value \$1.00 Friday only, 75c per pair

25 doz. medium high bust and medium length hip, made of sateen in grey and white, boned with rust proof, has hose supporters attached, regular value \$1.00 Friday only, 75c per pair

10 DOZ. WHITE PETTICOATS, made of good cambric, deep flounce, trimmed with four rows of hemstitching, five inch nainsook embroidery ruffle, regular value \$1.50 Friday only, 98c each

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Entertainment of the Fleet.

Oakland's committee for the entertainment of the officers and crews of Admiral Evans' battleship fleet has practically pledged itself to raise a fund of \$50,000 for the purpose. It is the first practical step toward asserting an independent identity as a municipality on the arrival of the fleet in San Francisco bay and a repudiation of the scheme concocted across the bay to absorb this city, smother it as a separate municipal entity and make it play the part of the tail to the kite. Alameda has taken the first step toward the consolidation of the Greater Oakland by joining forces through representation on the committee. Berkeley has undertaken the task of an independent entertainment, to which there can be no valid objection, as it has a population large enough and wealthy enough to raise a suitable fund for the purpose. One thing is certain: Oakland is in a better position to raise the \$50,000 fund than San Francisco is to devote \$100,000 for the purpose. Of course, it will need the arousing of the civic pride of the wealthier citizens of Oakland to get the fund together; but there ought to be no difficulty in that respect, for they will be the greater beneficiaries from the event, which will be the biggest advertisement, national and international in its bearings, that this city has ever sent abroad at any time in its history.

The battleship fleet is being watched by the whole civilized world in its unprecedented voyage and every incident in its experience will find a permanent place in the naval annals of the United States for all time to come. The battleship fleet comprises something over 14,000 officers and men. The cruiser squadron which will join it in this bay will swell the number to approximately 20,000. A \$50,000 investment in the entertainment of such a multitude will bear fruit a thousandfold. Giving an asylum for several months to 100,000 of the refugees of the afflicted city across the bay in 1906 raised Oakland from its previous obscurity into worldwide prominence. A worthy and enthusiastic reception to 20,000 of the naval defenders of the country will accentuate immeasurably what was done in 1906. The event offers the best opportunity for an investment for its own benefit which Oakland ever had in its whole career. If every property-owner and business man in the city contributes to it proportionately to his means and the interests which he has at stake, the fund will be raised easily.

Superior Judge Graham of San Francisco holds the record for settling domestic difficulties without divorce. He is fairly entitled to the right of hanging in a conspicuous place on the walls of his courtroom the motto, "Tis Better to Reconcile Than to Sunder."

Uphold the Federal Health Officers.

"An ounce of prevention is worth more than a pound of cure" is the old adage which is governing Oakland and Berkeley and the suburban towns to the east of this city, and the Board of Supervisors in the anti-rat crusade. The city of Alameda has been rather slow in responding to the call for co-operation. Inasmuch, however, as the Federal health authorities are taking a hand in the measure on this side of the bay, Alameda can be counted in henceforth. It is as much to the interest of that city as it is to any community on this side of the bay to reduce the danger of bubonic plague infection to a minimum.

For a long time Oakland carried on the anti-rat crusade single-handed, taking hold of it as soon as it was discovered that the plague had become rooted in San Francisco and was assuming a dangerous aspect. Berkeley was finally induced to come in, and is now operating on broad and intelligent lines. Alameda has been holding back until the present time because it has been rent for over a year by two conflicting professional opinions on the subject. Dr. Tom Carpenter, the well-known veterinary, inveighed against the covered garbage can because it deprived the vagrant felines of that city of their source of support, and that the extermination of this tribe favored an increase in the number of rats which vagrant cats kept down. Dr. Frederick W. D'Evelyn, a physician of much influence in the community, deprecated, on the other hand, any raid on rats, on the ground that they are among the best scavengers in the world and that their extermination would be a public misfortune. But it is well established now that the open garbage can and the rodents must both go, as an imperative sanitary measure, because the garbage can is the main source of food supply for rats and the latter constitute the source of bubonic infection. The Federal health officers are actively impressing upon all of the communities on this side of the bay the necessity for exterminating the rats and instituting a strict general house and yard clearing as the best means of preventing plague infection and quarantining. It may be that even more rigorous measures than any yet instituted will be insisted upon; but whatever demands the Federal health officers may make as anti-plague preventives should be cheerfully complied with by every member of these east bayside communities. Every interest in them is vitally concerned in making the anti-rat crusade effective.

Snow blizzards in the East and warm sunshine in California constitute the mid-February contrast between the two sides of the continent.

Citrus Growing in Northern California.

Persistent advertising for thirty years has given Southern California the erroneous reputation abroad that it is the only citrus belt in the State. The land boomers of that section have studiously encouraged that mistaken idea, and it has become so firmly rooted that, probably, the great majority of Eastern people who have never visited California, particularly the northern and central counties, have not the slightest knowledge that there are vast areas devoted to citrus culture north of the Tehachape range, and that the first ripe oranges of the season are every year sent to market from the orange groves of the northern counties, and that from one month to six weeks before the product of any Southern California grove is fit to pick. Last year the Butte county citrus belt was brought into unpleasant notoriety by the discovery that the groves had become infested by the Florida fly, one of the most dangerous of the pests which prey on the orange tree, and through the heroic measures which had to be adopted to eradicate it.

The northern foothill region of the Sierra contains one of the most productive orange-growing belts in the State, and Newcastle is among the earliest shippers of ripe oranges to the East for the Christmas season.

A vast area in the central section of the San Joaquin valley has been devoted to orange-growing for a great many years, and it is expanding so rapidly that it promises in a few years to vie with the southern counties in the volume and the value of its shipments.

NOTHING NEW AFTER ALL



SHADE OF BALBOA—"WELL! WELL! WHAT'S ALL THIS FUSS ABOUT? I DISCOVERED THIS OCEAN CENTURIES AGO." -CHICAGO NEWS.

This week the sixteenth annual citrus fair of the north of the bay counties is being held at Cloverdale, in the Russian river valley. Sonoma, Mendocino, Napa, Lake and Solano counties are not usually associated in the minds of those best acquainted with them as citrus fruit producers; but at every fair held at Cloverdale for the past sixteen years the evidence of their adaptability for the industry has been submitted for public inspection. At the present exhibition, oranges, lemons, citrons, pomelos and all varieties of the citrus family of fruits are shown in perfect condition. As there is a strong disposition being developed in the northern and central counties to advertise themselves abroad more extensively than they ever have done before, the false impression that the territory in California north of the Tehachape is in any sense inferior to the territory south of it will in time be completely removed.

THRILLS IN RUE CASE

(Continued from Page 1.)

dressed the court in connection with the witness who had been subpoenaed several

witnesses to appear and testify before this court," said O'Gara. "Now, your

honor directed that the showing of the defense and prosecution in this matter

be made in the most forcible way.

"I indicated yesterday how I wish the

proceedings to go on," said Judge Lawlor.

"The court will rule on the

question already in and then, if necessary,

the defense may offer other testimony.

Ach Tells of Next Move.

"Yesterday, if your honor please," put

in Ach at this point, "we made an application for an affidavit for the testimony of certain witnesses opposed

to this defendant, or who had refused to

come to the stand, so that we could

all we could to get affidavits in connection

with this case. If we are entitled

to be heard at all, to put in any evidence at all, and if we cannot procure certain

affidavits, then we will make application

to receive only affidavits should be no

bar for the receiving of the testimony of

certain witnesses. In accordance with our

rights we have therefore summoned the

other side to appear and make their

reading of the affidavit of which

Kaplan will be the asking of certain ques-

tions from the witnesses."

Heney Interrupts.

Before Mr. Ach could proceed further

he was interrupted by Mr. Heney who

went for him in the following words:

"Mr. Ach desired to have an audience,

He has missed me in other

business. The defense knows perfectly

well that the District Attorney and his

assistant will make affidavits when

they want to do it to get us into the

newspapers. They want to make the

public think we don't want to give affi-

davits. No doubt the keeping of the

district attorney and his assistant

leaving around and listening to Mr. Ach

may be much enjoyment. We will, how-

ever, leave this matter to Mr. O'Gara.

We have important things to do. We are

going to prosecute other cases in

other courts."

Refuses Affidavit.

Judge Lawlor then announced that he

would not receive the affidavit of Rabbi

Kaplan at this time, but would rule upon

the evidence he had already received.

He stated that he would

guard the rights of the defendant, and

that the additional evidence might be

presented later on. Before he had fin-

ished his remarks the court recessed.

Judge Lawlor took offense at it and stated that he

was tired being continually interrupted.

"Are you referring to me, your honor?"

asked Mr. Ruetz, and Ach, who had just

been speaking to the associate counsel

"I am," replied the court.

"I will state," retorted Murphy, "that I

have a perfect right to consult with

my associates and to suggest points to

him."

"I will say," added the court, "that I

have been continually interrupted by

plays for the benefit of everyone. I

say that when the court is speaking

all parties must listen."

Leave O'Gara Alone.

Heney then requested that the wit-

nesses be excused and after the court

had ruled in the favor of the defense

and that they were to be allowed to

remain in the order excusing them

until 10 o'clock tomorrow morning.

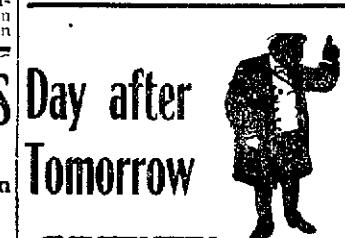
Burns, Landen and Heney imme-

diately left, leaving O'Gara in whose charge

was the prosecution's side of the argument.

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WANTS DRUNKEN STUDENTS DUSTED

STANFORD UNIVERSITY, Feb. 19.—

The university is not the place to get drunk. Those students who do are smearing the name of the university and the university will not suffer by this being sent home.

This was the keynote of a speech delivered here yesterday by Rev. Charles R. Brown, pastor of the First Congregational church of Oakland. Nearly 1800 students and townsmen listened to the arraignment of that element in the university which has caused the present tumult over drinking.

"There is great need of moral courage in California now," declared Dr. Brown. "Men have been resorting to all sorts of crazy methods to escape the penalties of their crimes. During the last year, the students of this university have been humiliated by 100 men, more or less, who forget themselves."

SOCIAL EVILS.

HEART : TRIBUNE'S PAGE FOR WOMEN : HOME

Wanted Love
to Wait for Art

MRS. M. HAMBURG.

Mark Hamburg, whose genius as a pianist has won him fond recognition in this country, returns to England this year as a hero of romance, surrounded with glamor of elopement and with a beautiful wife. Mr. and Mrs. Hamburg, however, being musicians, eloped in a novel sense. They have been acquainted, even engaged, for some years. Mrs. Hamburg met the pianist when, as Dorothy, the daughter of Sir Kenneth Augustus Muir-Mackenzie, K. C. B., Permanent Secretary to the Lord Chancellor of England, she was studying the piano and the violin in Brussels.

It was a case of love at first sight on both sides, but they decided that before marriage could be thought of they must first master their respective arts. This idea, it is said, did not meet with the approval of bluff Sir Kenneth, however, the arrangement being absurd to his mind.

Popularity of
Harp Grows Dim

The harp as an accomplishment has gone completely out of date. Ladies no longer sink their fingers, show their pretty feet and their plump, well-shaped arms, while they twang the strings, as their grandmothers delighted to do. The instrument is certainly unweird, which perhaps accounts for its unpopularity in these days of perpetual movement; but it lends itself charmingly to the amateur voice, and to the display of female beauty. Indeed, the harp itself is a magnified instrument. When well played it has a mellow tone, a sweetness, a poetry all its own. I heard a fine performance on it the other day. His touch was as delicate as a woman's. He did not execute those senseless runs up and down like a soul in pain, which the older executants delighted in. He just made the instrument sing, and sweetly and tenderly it sang. A trio for violin, harp and cello was a delicious sensation, to be remembered in these days of noisy musical fireworks.

\$10—PRIZE—\$10
HOW FAR SHOULD A WOMAN
GO TO PROTECT LOVED ONES

How far should a woman go to protect her loved ones? What is the limit of the sacrifices she should make, or is there a limit, even death?

For the best thought, contained in less than 200 words, in answer to these questions, THE TRIBUNE will pay \$10. This contest is open to all women readers of THE TRIBUNE and will close March 1.

To have contributions considered they must be written on one side of the paper, with name and address given.

Address all communications to the editor of the Woman's Page, THE TRIBUNE, Oakland, Cal.

EPIGRAMS OF LIFE
Behind the Scenes

By HATTIE WILLIAMS

ART: A chaser for the weather in conversation.

WORK: A disease neither infectious nor contagious.

THE STAGE: A place of illusions—and a cure for them.

MARRIAGE: A dilapidated castle haunted by two spooks—divorce and alimony.

SUCCESS: A mystery to your enemies and a disappointment to your friends.

AUDIENCES: Collections of human beings with a queer habit of expecting their money's worth.

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ONE-NIGHT STAND: A boost for home and mother.

CONTRACT: One in the hand is worth two promises to write.



MISS HILDA McELRATH.

Miss Beatrice Simpson was hostess to a luncheon and bridge party given at her home. Among the guests at this delightful affair were Miss Elsa Schilling, Miss Rose and Miss Ruth Kales, Miss Arline and Miss Josephine Johnson, Miss Harriet and Miss Gladys Dick, Mrs. Harry Chickering, Mrs. Roger Chickering, Miss Ruth Houghton, Miss Katherine Brown, Miss Molie Mathes, Miss Joanna Volkman, Mrs. Edison Adams, Mrs. De Lancey Lewis, Miss Edith Turner, Miss Marian Walsh and Miss Josephine Denning.

GARDEN PARTY. Mrs. Juiles Abrahamson will entertain this evening at a garden party to be given at her home on Madison street. The complimented guest will be Miss Pauline Phillips of Los Angeles. About forty guests are invited to the elaborate affair.

ENGAGEMENT NEWS.

The engagement is announced of George P. Upham of Alhambra Valley, Contra Costa county, to Miss L. M. Pierotti, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Pierotti of Capell, Napa county. The wedding will be an event of this spring.

WEDDING ANNIVERSARY.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul A. Needham entertained about thirty friends last evening at an informal card party given at their home in Berkeley to celebrate the fifth anniversary of their wedding. After an hour spent at cards supper was served,

FOR BRIDE-ELECT.

Mrs. F. F. Bates will entertain next Thursday afternoon at a china shower for Miss Grace Margaret Cook, the fiancee of Carl Rhodin. Over twenty-five guests are invited and the hostess will be assisted in receiving by Mrs. George H. Perry, Mrs. George Clarence Thompson and Mrs. Shouton.

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Her Brother Is
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NEW YORK, Feb. 20.—An element of mystery surrounds the indefinite postponement of the wedding of Dr. Thomas Darlington, health commissioner of this city, and Miss Susanne Livingston Green of Trenton. The wedding was to take place this winter, but on Wednesday Miss Green and her brother and his wife sailed for the Orient on the Hamburg-American line.

It was reported from Trenton that the engagement was broken. When she sailed it was said Miss Green was a very ill woman, and it was the belief and hope that a winter in the Mediterranean might restore her health.

Dr. Darlington, when asked about the reported breaking of the engagement, said:

"Because of a mutual agreement, the date of the wedding was indefinitely postponed and I cannot say where it is of any concern to the public. Miss Green is in bad health, and after a family consultation it was decided that a trip abroad would be for the best. She sailed on Wednesday and was accompanied by her brother. I have absolutely nothing more to say and anything further will have to be said by the relatives of Miss Green. I hope she is benefited by the trip."

In Trenton none of the immediate members of the Green family will discuss the case except to say that the wedding is off and that Miss Green has gone to Europe to recuperate.

Friends of the family in New Jersey believe that Miss Green was guided by her brother, Henry W. Green, the lawyer-railroad capitalist and trustee of Princeton University, in breaking the engagement.

J. M. Atwell is a visitor in San Luis Obispo.

P. J. Hazelwood was recently the guest of friend in St. Helena.

Mrs. George Shrider is visiting relatives in Merced.

W. E. Hyde and R. J. Burks were recent visitors in San Luis Obispo.

F. W. Blodgett was in Colusa for a brief stay.

N. O. Cookrell was in Sonora several days ago.

Rev. William Thomas was a recent visitor in Salinas.

J. F. Horwiss is in Salinas on a business trip.

George M. Kenney was a recent arrival in San Jose.

Mrs. J. S. Cook is the guest of relatives at Hollister.

J. B. McChesney has been visiting in Salinas.

Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Dozier spent a few days recently in Rio Vista.

W. Kinsman is in Tuttletown.

W. Burns has been visiting his parents in Rio Vista.

Mrs. Lena Berger has gone to Weaverville on a visit.

Mr. and Mrs. M. Gasper are visitors in Santa Cruz.

Miss Gwendolyn Hartley is visiting friends in Sacramento.

P. J. Freeman has gone to Rocklin.

HOME CLUB.

The Home Club luncheon today was an enjoyable affair, with Mrs. J. K. McLean presiding as hostess.

Among the guests entertained at the club today were Miss Foster, acting president of the Century Club in San Francisco, Mrs. Arthur Rickard, Mrs. Liska Gilman Churchill and Mrs. Charles Plummer Perkins.

After luncheon there was a brief address by Professor Rugh of the State University on the "Moral Training of Children."

Mrs. Churchill contributed dramatic readings entitled "A Touch of Nature," by Myra Kelly, and "Morrish Mourning," by Author McEnery Stuart.

Mrs. McLean was assisted in her duties as hostess by Miss Charlotte Playter, Mrs. Walter Rugh, Mrs. Warren Olney, Mrs. C. B. Parcell, Mrs. C. F. Osgood, Mrs. T. L. Merrill, Mrs. Howard Shinn, Mrs. J. H. Pond, Mrs. W. A. Starr, Mrs. F. B. Taylor, Mrs. F. A. Webster, Mrs. G. H. Shearer, Mrs. F. E. Wells, Mrs. G. E. Shute and Mrs. W. Smith.

BRIDGE PARTY.

Mrs. E. L. Moseley entertained a number of friends yesterday afternoon at a bridge party given at her home. The decorations were all in yellow, spring flowers forming the pretty adornment.

Among the players were Mrs. Frederick Winters, Mrs. Harry Haight, Mrs. Frederick Richardson, Mrs. Wills Collins, Mrs. Paul Otey, Mrs. E. T. Henshaw, Mrs. Edgar Dow, Mrs. David Brown, Mrs. Harry Bishop, Miss Annie Jackson, Miss Clarissa Ely and a few others.

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ONE-NIGHT STAND:

LAWYER CHARGES COLLUSION IN BULLETIN PROSECUTION

TELLS LANGDON THAT LIBEL CASE HAS QUEER ANGLES

SAN FRANCISCO, Feb. 20.—H. L. Packard, attorney for W. S. Tevis, who charges F. A. Crothers and Fremont Older, of the Bulletin, with criminal libel, has written to District Attorney Langdon a letter in which he alleges collusion between Crothers, Older and E. P. E. Troy in the proceedings brought by Troy against Crothers and Older.

The case has reached the court of Superior Court Judge Dunne and he has set it down for Tuesday and at the same time retired from the case and assigned it to Judge M. F. Dooling, giving as his reason the explanation that he feels that he is not qualified to preside at the trial. The setting of the date so soon after the filing of the charges shows a haste that could not be explained for some time.

A reason for this haste is offered in a communication addressed to District Attorney Langdon by H. L. Packard, a Bakersfield attorney, who represents W. S. Tevis in a similar action brought against C. Thors and Older in the courts of Kern County some time ago and which is still awaiting trial.

Charges Collusion.

In this the attorney charges that the Troy action was brought through collusion between the complaining witness and the defendants, for the purpose of securing a hasty acquittal and so prejudicing the case now pending in the Kern County court.

Mr. Packard declined to attend yesterday's proceedings in this city. His letter to the District Attorney explained his non-attendance. It purports to have been written in answer to a communication from Langdon inviting him to appear as special counsel for the prosecution. The communication is set out in full by the Bakersfield attorney, who goes to state some very plain reasons for refusing to accept the invitation.

Older and Judge Confer.

He writes, first, of a conference between Fremont Older and Judge Lawlor at a local club three days before the alleged collusive action was brought. He expresses his belief that the meeting between Lawlor and Older was for the purpose of discussing the libel case.

"That this was a collusive proceeding, brought directly by the Bulletin management, or by its attorney, I have no doubt. I would not be surprised if Mr. Troy was procured for the purpose by James D. Phelan. Some of whose relations with the Bulletin are well known and others generally suspected."

Court Proceedings.

The letter recites the proceedings had in court since the complaint was filed in the police court fifteen days ago. Attention is called to the fact that on the very day the order was made holding Crothers and Older to trial the information

was filed in the Superior Court "one of the most remarkable things in this most remarkable case," writes Attorney Packard.

The attorney gives as a reason for Judge Dunne's subsequent withdrawal the fact that the whole story of these proceedings appeared in a San Francisco newspaper. He presumes, also, that Judge Dunne called on Judge Dooling after a conference with the defendants. He suggested that the entire matter calls for an investigation on the part of the San Francisco Bar Association.

Packard's Offer.

In conclusion, Attorney Packard offers, with the complete assistance and moral support of the district attorney's office, to assume the management of a motion to dismiss the Troy matter on the ground that it is a collusive action, also to investigate the matter in open court and examine all persons believed to have a part in the alleged fraudulent scheme.

A letter containing similar allegations regarding the Troy-Crothers-Older case was written by Attorney Packard from Bakersfield last week to Attorney General Webb. Nothing came of it. Last evening District Attorney Langdon refused to make any statement concerning the communication he had received.

When the action was first brought it aroused considerable comment, especially as it appeared that E. P. E. Troy, the complaining witness, had acted without either the knowledge or the consent of Mr. Tevis.

Following is Attorney Packard's communication to the district attorney in full:

San Francisco, February 18, 1908.

Hon. William H. Langdon, District Attorney, San Francisco, California—Dear Sir: Yesterday I received from you the following letter:

San Francisco, Cal., Feb. 17, 1908.

"H. L. Packard, Esq., attorney-at-law (care of court room clerk, Department No. 2, Superior Court, San Francisco, Cal.)—

Dear Sir: I am informed that you are the attorney of Mr. Wm. Tevis and that

you have expressed a desire to appear as

prosecutor in the cases of the People vs.

F. A. Crothers and Fremont Older, Nos.

1357 and 1358, which cases are set for

trial on February 19, 1908.

"You are cordially invited to appear as special counsel in those cases, and I shall be very greatly pleased if you can see your way clear to accept this invitation. I shall be pleased to have you call at my office this afternoon after your court master is attended to in Department No. 1.

"Yours very truly,
(Signed) W. H. LANGDON,
"District Attorney."

Since receiving your courteous communication I have given its subject much thought, and have made some investigation and feel that cannot accept your invitation to participate in the case referred to for the following reasons:

Sunday Conference.

On Sunday morning, February 2, 1908, there occurred at the Family Club in this city a prolonged conference between Judge Lawlor of the Superior Court and Mr. Fremont Older, one of the parties to the present litigation. What the precise conversation was I cannot know, but believe that its subject was the prosecution by Mr. Tevis of Mr. Older and Mr. Crothers for libel.

There are in San Francisco three judges of the Superior Court, hearing criminal causes. There are Judges Cook, Dunne and Lawlor. I understand that the relations between the Bulletin management and Judge Cook are unfriendly, but that the most intimate relations exist between the Bulletin people and Judges Dunne and Lawlor is a matter of common notoriety. Whether the discussion at the Family Club referred to between Judge Lawlor and Mr. Older, was regarding the assignment to Judge Lawlor or Judge Dunne, of all Mr. Tevis' libel cases, I have no means of knowing. It is my belief, however, that such was one of the purposes of the meeting.

Spreckels-Gage Case.

Between Sunday morning, February 2, 1908, and Wednesday, February 5, 1908, the law firm of Cullinan & Hickey, composed of Eustace Cullinan, chief editorial writer of the Bulletin, and Thomas Hickey, applied to a gentleman who had taken part in the Spreckels-Gage libel controversy, for complete information of the procedure in that case adopted. It will be remembered that in that case a prosecution for criminal libel, instituted in Los Angeles county, was thwarted by a proceeding instituted in the police court of San Francisco, by one Boardman, who was then styled, and ever since has been known as "Buttin' Boardman."

I am satisfied that the information obtained by the Bulletin people from the Spreckels-Gage case is the basis of their plans of operation in this action.

On February 5, 1908, a complaint was filed in the police court by E. P. E. Troy, against Mr. Older and Mr. Crothers for libeling Mr. Tevis. That this was a collusive prosecution, brought directly by the Bulletin management, or by its attorneys, I have no doubt.

I would not be surprised if Mr. Troy was procured for the purpose by Mr. James D. Phelan, some of whose relations with the "Bulletin" are well known, and others generally suspected. Whether or not the obtaining of Mr. Troy to file the complaint was through Mr. Phelan I cannot tell, but I am certain his complaint was filed for the benefit of the "Bulletin" people.

On the next day, February 5, 1908, the preliminary examination was held before Judge Cabaniss. Then and after the complaint had been filed, it was discovered that it had been entitled, "E. P. E. Troy, plaintiff, v. Fremont Older and R. A. Crothers."

By consent of your representative and the representatives of the "Bulletin" the title was stricken out and a new title in the name of the People inserted, after the filing of the complaint. Who drew this complaint I do not know, but I suppose it was drawn by the "Bulletin" people. Whether Judge Cabaniss was interview by the "Bulletin" about dispatching the preliminary examination, I cannot, of course, know. He jocularly remarked, during the proceedings, when Messrs. Cullinan & Hickey were consenting to everything in regard to the prosecution of their clients, "Mr. Hickey, you are not defending your clients with your usual zeal."

Ladies' Brown Top Button

Just received 348 pairs of Ladies' Brown Cloth Top Button Shoes, in patent cloth; 4 different styles. These shoes were never offered on sale before anywhere for so little a low figure. They have a pretty plain gold or gold-like cloth with 6 large buttons; in college cut or plain dress style, very neat and stylish, really should be sold for \$4.50 and \$5.00; in all sizes and widths, from 2 to 8. Very robust. Special for a few days at \$3.00.

\$3
Short
Vamp

Same, with black cloth top, \$2.85

Ladies' Patent Blucher cut lace shoe, plain, short vamp, regular \$3.50; low \$2.35

Men's Embroidered Slippers: \$1.50

Men's Garden Heavy lace shoe, pie, pie, elastic side, \$1.50

Men's Calfskin Medium Heavy lace shoe, \$1.40

Ladies' Box Cal lace shoe, extra deep sole; neat round toe; good wearing; Spec. cl. \$1.50

Ladies' Felt Juliet fur-trimmed \$1.50

Infant Soft Sole Shoes; all colors \$1.25

Little Gents' Calfskin, Iron-clad shoe, sizes 9 to 13 \$1.95

OUR MOTTO—A SQUARE DEAL

TO ALL—We make a specialty of all sort vamp shoes for women

What deputy in your office arrangements were made with for the speedy procedure which characterized this case.

King of All Cough Medicines



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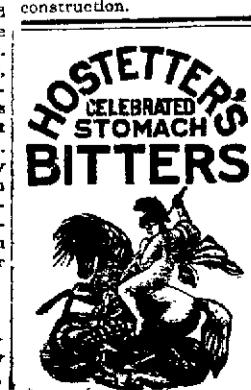
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URGES OAKLANDERS TO STAMP OUT PLAGUE

Dr. John D. Long Says Other States May Quarantine California and Turn Fleet Away.

"When two per cent of the rats in a city have become infected, the danger point for human plague is reached. The number of infected rats in San Francisco is already past two per cent and in Oakland they have reached 13-10 per cent."

"That this percentage of infected rats is not higher is due to the rainy season and cold which have kept the fleas down."

"But as soon as warm weather allows the fleas to propagate in enormous numbers the plague will conquer the cities around this bay unless the rats are exterminated."

"At present there are only from one to two fleas to each rat, in a month the number of fleas to each rat may increase to from 60 to 100."

Post-see-tant Surgeon John D. Long, United States Marine Hospital services thus expressed himself last night before a big crowd at a public meeting held by the Chamber of Commerce in the Oakland Stock and Bond Exchange.

Women Are Interested.

Not only did members of the Chamber attend in force but the presence of over 100 women besides several hundred business men attested the intense interest being taken by the people of Oakland in the fight against the plague.

Though Dr. Long was the principal speaker of the evening, F. A. Leach Jr., president of the Chamber of Commerce, Mayor Mot and former Governor Farde also made addresses and at the close the audience joined in a vigorous discussion asking numerous questions of Dr. Long and fully unanimously adopted stirring resolutions, which provided that Mayor Mot appoint a committee of 70 citizens from each ward to arouse the people and to collect private subscriptions.

Federal Aid Refused.

A storm of popular wrath greeted the statement of a announcement by Mayor Mot that he received yesterday letters from President Roosevelt and Secretary of the Treasury Corcoran, in reply to the city's call for aid, and that the administration had refused financial help point-blank on the ground that such action would set a dangerous precedent and that the government could not afford to help any city afflicted with any pestilence."

F. A. Leach in opening the meeting said in part: "A condition exists in this city which in one way is alarming and in another way can be controlled. We must lend our assistance to those having the work in hand to avoid pestilence."

Mr. Leach then introduced Mayor Mot, who said in part: "There could be no more timely topic for the Chamber of Commerce to discuss than the plague. There is no reason for our people to start a panic, but they must strictly follow the recommendations and directions for keeping the streets, houses, stores and factories in sanitary condition."

The City Council expended \$30,000 by the middle of January. The city felt it could not spend more than \$5000 a month, so I wrote personal letters, as mayor of the city, calling for help from the Federal government. Today I received a reply from the President and Secretary of the Treasury in which they refuse to help us."

Oakland must eradicate bubonic plague now or it will take years to stamp it out after it spreads to the entire Pacific Coast."

Asks Co-operation
"If all citizens will co-operate with

ignited in China in 1896 by an American woman physician. The Chinese victory refused to believe that it was bubonic plague and therefore only the infected rats which had discontinued swimming the 60,000 rodents were brought to him by the natives."

"From Hong Kong the disease spread by means of Norway rats on ships to northern China, Korea and Japan from China, Hong Kong, and at last to the Pacific Coast of the United States."

"Bubonic plague killed soldiers in the Russo-Japanese war."

"The disease spread from Bombay through the interior of India where the mortality was 5 per cent from 1896 to 1898, the annual deaths a amazing 500,000 in one year over 1,000,000 people in India died of the plague alone."

"The disease was then carried to Tunis, Morocco, spread over North Africa, and then was taken to Europe by way of Marseilles. From London it was conveyed to Australia and New Zealand and the diamond workers of South Africa were next affected."

"Bubonic plague appeared in the western hemisphere for the first time at San Francisco, in 1900, spreading through Alameda and Contra Costa counties, Oakland and Richmond."

Blame San Francisco.

"When it struck the west coast of Mexico the Mexican authorities and medical societies laid the bringing of the plague directly to the ships from San Francisco. The disease was spread to Ecuador, Peru and Chile, and was carried to Australia and New Zealand."

"Periodically the only portions of the eastern sea coast of the world now free from plague are the eastern coast of the United States, British Columbia, Cuba and the west coast of Europe."

"The most common theory of infection is the rat. Authorities agree that where there are no rats there can be no plague among human beings."

"But plague has spread over the world in spite of the efforts of the medical societies to stamp it out and false claims by the authorities of infected cities that the disease existed there."

"When the 'Black Plague' appeared in London its existence was so denied that it broke out fiercer in a return of death to the human city. These ineffective and absurd denials also came from the authorities when it raged in Canton, Hong Kong and San Francisco."

Denials Useless.

"In spite of denials in San Francisco 125 cases were carried between 1900 and 1904 and the plague has broken out afresh there because of criminal negligence and indifference on the part of the people and municipal authorities."

"Physicians since they have become acquainted with the symptoms of plague now admit freely that they have had many cases of it without knowing it."

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Garbage Crematorium.

"The city only can handle garbage in the proper way. Last January the people authorized the administration to go into the garbage business. But we must choose between many styles for a crematorium because coal is costly on this coast."

"In a little while the city will ask the people for authority to borrow money to build a garbage crematorium. When it is built the danger of re-introduction of the plague will be reduced to a minimum."

"This plague is having serious effects on the whole State of California. It is not improbable that, unless the plague is checked speedily, California will be quarantined during the coming summer."

"Quarantine is the most serious danger that we face and we must spend large sums of money in fighting it. The necessary expense of \$50,000, \$60,000, \$100,000 or more, will not be noticed after a year goes by."

Not a Terrorist.

Dr. John D. Long of the United States public health and marine hospital service who is in charge of the plague fight here said:

"In the first place, I want to deny the various epithets which have been applied to me by foolish persons. I am not an alarmist, terrorist, or one who wants to frighten you. Anything that I tell you in regard to bubonic plague may be verified in the standard medical libraries."

"Bubonic plague gave origin to the word 'quarantine' because ships that came from infected ports were held in harbor 40 days, long ago in Europe."

"Plague begins with a few cases gradually increasing in severity until it is fully spread. It threatens the whole civilized world today."

"The disease was so long in Nan Yun that the people grew accustomed to it but when it got so bad that dead rats began to fall from the roofs of the houses the inhabitants moved away to the mountains."

Woman Physician.

"There have been four historic epidemics and the last was discovered and des-

cribed in the standard medical libraries."

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STUDENT IN LOVE WITH EVERY GIRL HE SEES, IS DECLARED INSANE



FAIR COLLEGIANS TELL OF HIS PURSUIT

He Lay in Wait for Them, Wrote Burning Letters and Threw Sheep's Eyes.

R. Livingstone, Russian patriot and exile, intimate friend of Count Leo Tolstoy, and at one time a brilliant journalist in Russia, will not annoy University girls with his unwelcome attentions any more. He has been adjudged insane by the Lunacy Commission and committed to the Napa insane asylum by Judge Ellsworth.

The court room, while Livingstone was being examined, resembled a University class room. The benches were filled with college girls. Many of them came to testify about Livingstone's attentions to them and others came to lend their moral support. Professor Noyes of the University, who is an authority on Russia, acted as interpreter.

Miss Mary Burkhalter, daughter of Professor Charles Burkhalter of the Chabot Observatory, was a witness against Livingstone. Three years ago, she said, when she was a student at the Oakland High school, Livingstone had tried to flirt with her. For weeks he would wait for her at the school building, and when she came out would ride his bicycle near her and salute her. Often he would recite a verse or two of amorous poetry as he passed.

Ordered to Leave Town.

Even in church he forced his attentions on her, and in the Oakland Free Library he was so annoying that Librarian Greene ordered him to keep out of the building when Professor Burkhalter complained of him. The girl's father also complained to the chief of police, and Livingstone was ordered to leave town.

A letter written by him to Miss Burkhalter was read in court. Though incoherent, it was full of tender sentiment. Livingstone said at first that it had been written by his sister, the Countess Amelia Vivian, but finally admitted that the handwriting was his, when it was compared with that of the five letters he wrote to Miss Elizabeth Wolfe of 1711 Euclid avenue, Berkeley.

A number of Miss Wolfe's University friends testified yesterday in corroboration of the story she told a week ago when Livingstone's examination began. She testified that not only had he written her five love letters in spite of the fact that she did not know him, but that he had called at her home. They also told of his attentions to them.

Wore a Red Rose.

Miss Dorothy Burdoff said he had strolled at her in the University Library, which was one of Livingstone's favorite haunts. He wore a red rose in his buttonhole on this occasion, the flower being in queer contrast to his unkempt appearance.

Miss Edith Brown said Livingstone had stared at her for forty-five minutes in the Berkeley free library.

Miss Leslie Lane said he had almost run into her as he rode at full speed down hill on his bicycle, waving his arms in the air.

Miss Clara Norton said that he had ridden by her five times on his bicycle, staring at her whenever he passed.

Other witnesses who testified to similar conduct were Miss Lulu Thornberg, Miss Florence Burns, Miss Elsie Williams, Miss Byrd Howell, Miss Mary Stanford, Miss Fern Chon, Miss Beatrice Bocardi, Miss Rachel Bresne and Professor Chas. Burkhalter.

His Explanation.

Livingstone tried to explain his conduct when they were through. He stared at girls because he wished to study their characters. He declared that he was a deep student of psychology. The love letters to Miss Wolfe had been intended for a Miss Falconer, with whom he was acquainted. He said he had confused the names and that it was all a mistake.

Livingstone will probably be taken to Napa at once. He has been in this country five years, during which time he has made his living by corresponding for Russian publications. He is a graduate

of the University of Moscow and speaks French and German fluently.

One Love Letter

The letter received by Miss Burkhalter reads as follows:

"Dear Friend:

"It is so long since we have seen each other that I fear you have forgotten me. No I am sorry, and never before have I felt that your friendship is a positive necessity to me. And thus I write you. I know you will understand me at once. Among my friends I do not recall any who have so sincere and sensitive a soul as you. How do you do now? I hope very well. Ah, Darling! if you only knew what happened to me. I am confused and sorry, and I must confess to you.

"You know my rigid views on the marriage question—too sudden that I did, at first meeting, trust one's heart to a schoolboy. It is incredible to myself now.

"The first charming meeting I'll never forget, notwithstanding all that has happened since. It was Saturday, January 21st day, when no one to bother me, for all the schools were closed and the stores open for show. I was quietly sitting in the reading room and thinking about my novel. All around me was the quiet of the dead. Some human bodies have been chained to some dull books. Unexpectedly coming in two youths, evidently students, happy and joyous. You know, I like young people and disdain all platitude. And to my pleasure and great astonishment they can straight to my table and took their seats right opposite me, looking directly in my eyes and joyfully, gladly smiling, as a best old friends meeting after a long absence.

Beautiful, Large Eyes.

"I answered and greeted them very friendly, one of them not a moment have ceasing to gaze upon me with beautiful, large eyes. All my being was attracted, but I controlled myself. Thus gazing upon each other we cannot cast down our enchanted eyes.

"Ah, Darling! how sorry I am now. Listen me that I have done then.

"I gave a sacrifice to dead gods, and the horrid gods torture me now; they love me now, but the young, native soul, his heart is dead for me now.

"I'll patiently subdue myself to the lost, but to lost without respect and human dignity, it is awful. I would say:

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N. Y. BANKERS HONEST AS FARMERS, SAYS FINANCIER

(By Associated Press.)

CHICAGO, Feb. 20.—The bankers in Wall street are as honest as the farmers in Illinois," said David R. Forgan, president of the City National Bank, in his speech last night before 300 members of the Evanston and North Shore Business Men's Association, which held its annual banquet in Evanston.

"I am accustomed to count and keep you forever only good and forget all negative doings. And the lively boy has done to me much of the best of life at once for nothing when he had been free of every influence; that I very prize and can't forget forever.

"Pardon me—I disgust you. Please answer me. I expect with big interest.

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"CO. AMILIA VIVIANI."

ANNUAL MEETING OF ROCHDALE CO.

Delegates From All Portions of State Gather Here; Last Session Tomorrow.

The ninth annual meeting of the Pacific Coast Co-operative Union and Rochdale Wholesale Company convened Wednesday in Hamilton Hall on Thirteenth street. President D. T. Fowler of Los Angeles acted as chairman. The officers present were: D. T. Fowler, Oakland, president; W. J. McLendon, Healdsburg, vice-president; John Strong, Santa Rosa, treasurer; F. A. Bennett, Dos Palos; W. A. Higgins, Tulare; E. A. Shain, Santa Cruz; L. B. Ulrey, King City; E. T. Cunningham, Le Grand; W. F. Aslett, Loomis.

Speakers were made by President D. T. Fowler, L. B. Ulrey, W. P. Fassett, C. C. Pratt, R. H. Bagley, J. M. Moore.

The following committee was appointed to act on the resolution committee: J. M. Twyly, Tulare, chairman; W. H. Reynolds, Corning; E. M. Bishop, Fresno; F. R. Robinson, Napa; A. R. Galloway, Healdsburg.

Memorial Committee.

The memorial committee consists of E. A. Shain, Green Majors, J. G. Cooper, A. P. Robinson, Napa; C. E. Stocker, Mill Valley; George Maxwell, Sausalito; W. H. Reynolds, W. H. Giffen, J. R. Barker, R. C. Carr, T. B. Hawking, D. W. Cooper, S. J. McCorkle, T. W. Fraser, E. E. Douglass, P. Nielsen, R. Myers, Mrs. Anna W. Shain, Mrs. R. B. Myers, Mrs. J. R. Lowe, A. Bennett, J. Twohy, W. P. Aslett, J. Strong.

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ANALOMA, Feb. 20.—Mrs. Theodore Berendson, an attractive woman of 27 years, died suddenly this morning, after a long and painful illness, which was taken ill in Monday, but her husband who is caretaker for the apartment house of a real estate firm, did not call a doctor until last night, and his wife's condition did not seem serious.

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Leaves \$500,000 For Spelling Bees

ANDOVER, Mass., Feb. 20.—The will of Vernon Lincoln, just probated, leaves \$500,000 to the treasurer of the town of Andover in trust for the purpose of providing prizes for the annual old-fashioned spelling matches. It is provided that the matches shall take place in a public hall here, the contestants being between 10 and 18 years of age, in red-fashioned method of "choosing up" to be used. Prizes of \$10, \$20 and \$40 are to be awarded yearly to the three who are last to be "spelled down."

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Volunteers regiment during the Civil

War.

CIVIL WAR VETERAN INCINERATED ALIVE

OCEAN PARK, Feb. 20.—Dr. Madge, a Civil war veteran, lost his life when his house burned at 1 a. m. today. Judge, who is crippled, was alone and his charred remains were discovered after the walls fell in.

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1243 Starlet 105
1244 Gold Star 105
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1246 Playful 105
1247 Princess 105
1248 Mrs. Neukent 105
1249 Albert Ball 105
1250 Sunbeamcloud 105
1251 Leonidasal 105
1252 The Belle of Shandon 105
1253 Lida Babie 105
1254 Expedient 105
1255 The Ladyc 105
1256 Releesa 105

SECOND RACE—One and one-sixth miles; selling; four-year-olds and up.

1257 Royal Scot 104
1258 Isabella 104
1259 Alta Spur 104
1260 Starlight gas 104
1261 George Kilborn 104
1262 Zieg Abrams 104
1263 May Holladay 104
1264 Garnet 104
1265 Cheshire 104
1266 Helmsa 104
1267 Tancer 104

THIRD RACE—Three and one-half furlongs; purse; two-year-olds.

1268 Captain Hansen 98
1269 Don Hart 98
1270 Parole 98
1271 Luca G. 98
1272 Arvest Leonard 98
1273 100 Work Box 98
1274 Orante 98
1275 Carris Thatch 98
1276 Rich Easy (W. E. Applegate) 98

FOURTH RACE—Four and one-half miles; selling; four-year-olds and up.

1277 Almont 97
1278 Glimmer 97
1279 Sherry 97
1280 Col. Jewell 97
1281 Lutuparome 97
1282 Prince of Orange 97
1283 Henry O. 97
1284 Confederate 97
1285 Lone Wolf 97
1286 Renova 97
1287 Rose Eley 97
1288 King of Mist 97
1289 Koro 97

FIFTH RACE—One and one-sixteenth miles; selling; four-year-olds and up.

1290 Pleasure 96
1291 Hounds 96
1292 Iris 96
1293 Prince 96
1294 Paul First 96
1295 Brainerd 96
1296 Confederate 96
1297 Lone Wolf 96
1298 Renova 96
1299 Rose Eley 96
1300 King of Mist 96
1301 Koro 96

SIXTH RACE—Five and one-half furlongs; purse; three-year-olds and up.

1302 Pleasure 95
1303 Hounds 95
1304 Iris 95
1305 Prince 95
1306 Paul First 95
1307 Brainerd 95
1308 Confederate 95
1309 Lone Wolf 95
1310 Renova 95
1311 Rose Eley 95
1312 King of Mist 95
1313 Koro 95

FIFTH RACE—Eleven sixteenths; selling; three-year-olds and up.

1314 Gossiper II 94
1315 Starry Lee 94
1316 Golden Wave 94
1317 Poer and Salt 94

SIXTH RACE—Five and one-half furlongs; purse; three-year-olds and up.

1318 Gossiper II 93
1319 Starry Lee 93
1320 Golden Wave 93
1321 Poer and Salt 93

FIFTH RACE—Three-quarters; selling; two-year-olds.

1322 Tramnute 92
1323 Transmute 92
1324 Hritte 92
1325 Lady Vashti 92
1326 Don Hart 92
1327 Tazos 92
1328 Flores 92
1329 Starry Lee 92
1330 Golden Wave 92

SIXTH RACE—Three-quarters; selling; two-year-olds.

1331 Tramnute 91
1332 Transmute 91
1333 Hritte 91
1334 Lady Vashti 91
1335 Don Hart 91
1336 Tazos 91
1337 Flores 91
1338 Starry Lee 91
1339 Golden Wave 91

SIXTH RACE—Three-quarters; selling; two-year-olds.

1340 Tramnute 90
1341 Transmute 90
1342 Hritte 90
1343 Lady Vashti 90
1344 Don Hart 90
1345 Tazos 90
1346 Flores 90
1347 Starry Lee 90
1348 Golden Wave 90

SIXTH RACE—Three-quarters; selling; two-year-olds.

1349 Tramnute 89
1350 Transmute 89
1351 Hritte 89
1352 Lady Vashti 89
1353 Don Hart 89
1354 Tazos 89
1355 Flores 89
1356 Starry Lee 89
1357 Golden Wave 89

SIXTH RACE—Three-quarters; selling; two-year-olds.

1358 Tramnute 88
1359 Transmute 88
1360 Hritte 88
1361 Lady Vashti 88
1362 Don Hart 88
1363 Tazos 88
1364 Flores 88
1365 Starry Lee 88
1366 Golden Wave 88

SIXTH RACE—Three-quarters; selling; two-year-olds.

1367 Tramnute 87
1368 Transmute 87
1369 Hritte 87
1370 Lady Vashti 87
1371 Don Hart 87
1372 Tazos 87
1373 Flores 87
1374 Starry Lee 87
1375 Golden Wave 87

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1376 Tramnute 86
1377 Transmute 86
1378 Hritte 86
1379 Lady Vashti 86
1380 Don Hart 86
1381 Tazos 86
1382 Flores 86
1383 Starry Lee 86
1384 Golden Wave 86

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1389 Don Hart 85
1390 Tazos 85
1391 Flores 85
1392 Starry Lee 85
1393 Golden Wave 85

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1394 Tramnute 84
1395 Transmute 84
1396 Hritte 84
1397 Lady Vashti 84
1398 Don Hart 84
1399 Tazos 84
1400 Flores 84
1401 Starry Lee 84
1402 Golden Wave 84

SIXTH RACE—Three-quarters; selling; two-year-olds.

1403 Tramnute 83
1404 Transmute 83
1405 Hritte 83
1406 Lady Vashti 83
1407 Don Hart 83
1408 Tazos 83
1409 Flores 83
1410 Starry Lee 83
1411 Golden Wave 83

SIXTH RACE—Three-quarters; selling; two-year-olds.

1412 Tramnute 82
1413 Transmute 82
1414 Hritte 82
1415 Lady Vashti 82
1416 Don Hart 82
1417 Tazos 82
1418 Flores 82
1419 Starry Lee 82
1420 Golden Wave 82

SIXTH RACE—Three-quarters; selling; two-year-olds.

1421 Tramnute 81
1422 Transmute 81
1423 Hritte 81
1424 Lady Vashti 81
1425 Don Hart 81
1426 Tazos 81
1427 Flores 81
1428 Starry Lee 81
1429 Golden Wave 81

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1431 Transmute 80
1432 Hritte 80
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1436 Flores 80
1437 Starry Lee 80
1438 Golden Wave 80

KETCHEL AND TWIN SULLIVAN ARE RESTING UP

KETCHEL WILL BE SLIGHT FAVORITE OVER SULLIVAN

Public Likes Chances of Montana Man Over the Bald-Headed Lad From Boston.

BY EDDIE SMITH.

The merchants of this city and San Francisco have been crying that money is short and that their patience in waiting for the loosening up is beginning to wane, but had one of these self-same merchants been on hand yesterday and noted the orders that Jimmy Coffroth was receiving for seats to his boxing contest at Colma they would have changed their tune. Coffroth himself has been a little dubious as to the attendance to the coming contest, he too claiming that money was tight.

One of the ever-ready lieutenants of the promoter took issue with him at this time, saying that it was his opinion that a fight fan would go hungry before he would miss a fight that gave such promise as the Sullivan-Ketchel contest does.

The orders for seats bears out the statement of the booster for last evening. James wore a smile that would not come off and all on account of the bright outlook for a good house. The betting on the contest also loosened up a bit last night and several small wagers on Sullivan were made. The betting end of the contest will suffer, for when money is tight as it can get along without betting even if he cannot stay away from the contest.

Betting Is Bosh.

The talk of the betting is all bosh anyhow, and for my part I wish it was entirely eliminated from all contests. What has it ever shown by the way the so-called wise men have laid their money? Nothing to me but the fact that they often make a man a ten to four favorite that should be an even money chance.

When there is little or no betting on a contest then the fan can go to the arena where the bout is to be held with a feeling of assurance that the mill is to be decided on the level and that the men are to battle for the purse alone and not for the side wagering. "Give me a con-

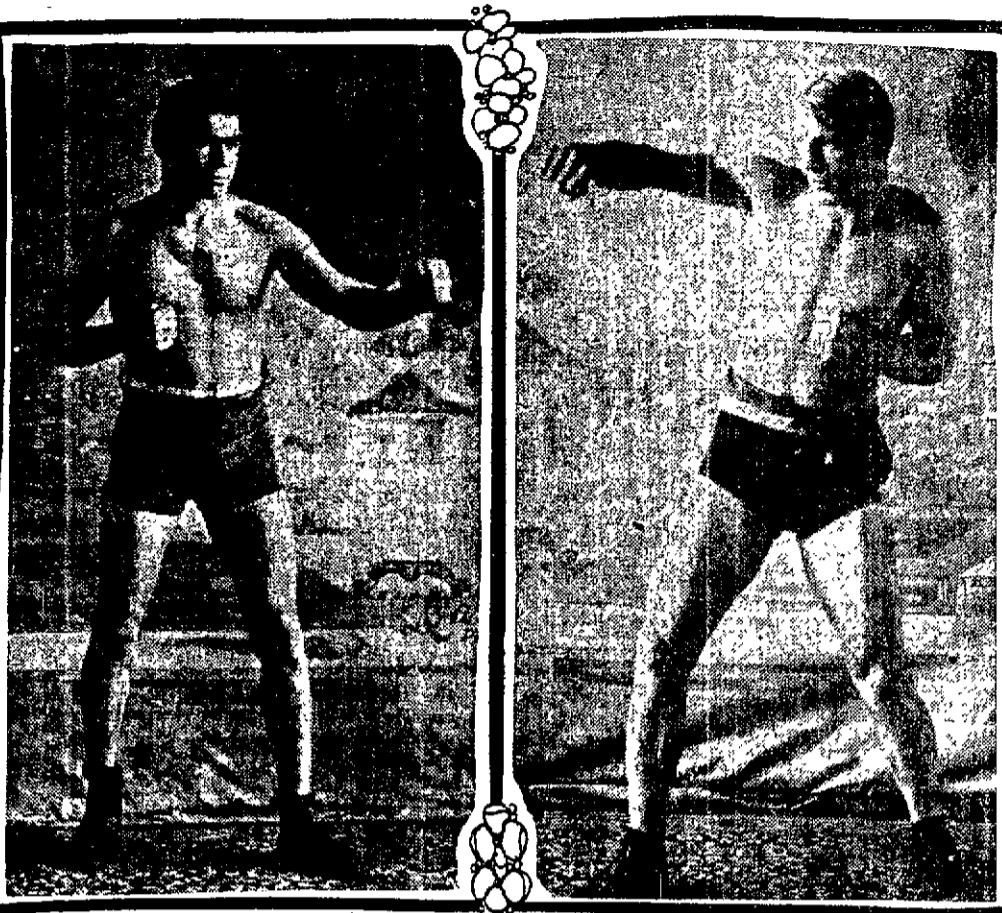
RELIANCE CLUB ENTERS WRESTLERS FOR TOURNEY

Chester McIntyre, wrestling instructor of the Reliance Athletic Club, and one of the foremost catch-as-catch-can wrestlers of America, has entered several of his best men for the coming wrestling tournament at the Olympic Athletic in San Francisco.

McIntyre, who is one of the best instructors in the grappling game on the coast, thinks that his boys will have an even break to carry off their share of the Winged-O tournament.

The general fat Lheroux will be the Reliance Club's standard bearer in the heavyweight division. Lheroux is now to the wrestling game, but McIntyre de-

FRANK MANTELL AND KID FARMER, A PAIR OF HUSKY WELTER-WEIGHTS, WHO WILL MAUL EACH OTHER AT MARYSVILLE ON NEXT THURSDAY EVENING. MARYSVILLE FANS THINK THAT MANTELL IS ANOTHER YOUNG KETCHEL.



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MARYSVILLE, Feb. 20.—Is Frank Mantell, another Young Ketchel? That is the question that is agitating sport circles of this city. Mantell has caught on with a swing and a swerve at this place and the fans of this city believe he is a second Ketchel.

It will be remembered that Marysville is responsible for Young Ketchel. It was at this place that Matchmaker Eddie Smith got Ketchel to make his first appearance against Joe Thomas and give himself here since the Ketchel-Thomas go-

him the only opportunity he had of gaining subsequent fame.

Until Smith gave Ketchel his chance to fight here that scrapper was an unknown quantity, but his showing against Thomas here put him prominently before the public.

Mantell acts like Ketchel. He is a rough, rugged fellow of the devil-may-care type, and when he and Farmer mix it here Thursday night there will be a storm of gloves such as haven't been witnessed here since the Ketchel-Thomas go-

Farmer is a pretty stiff millman himself. He is as rugged and impervious to punishment as a mountain side. His friends think he will put a period to the aspirations of Mantell.

The local fans have taken a great shine to Mantell and he is the favorite with them.

Mantell realizes that in Farmer he has a scrapper of the rough and ready style, but he believes that he will be able to overmatch him at this style of battling.

BONE-BREAKERS WILL WRESTLE AT DREAMLAND RINK THIS EVENING

SAN FRANCISCO, Feb. 20.—Tonight at Dreamland pavilion Leopold MacLaglen, who claims the championship title of the jiu jitsu branch of wrestling, will be called upon to meet Henry De Raymond, a 300-pound giant, who has just returned from a trip through Japan, where he has thrown every expert of the jiu jitsu art and is now hunting new worlds to conquer. De Raymond is one of the heaviest athletes in the world, weighing 350 pounds and that he is not sluggish in his agility he is shown in his

gymnasium work. He jogs and dances around with the ease and grace of a dancing master, and while he has a tremendous paunch he is not flabby, but is as hard as nails. George Braun, the well-known catch-as-catch-can wrestler, tried to hurt him yesterday by jumping on his stomach, pounding him as hard as he could on the back and by twisting his arm out of socket, but the big fellow only smiled at the efforts of the sturdy wrestler. "He is as hard as nails," said Braun when he got through; "and I would

hate to try and lift that mountain of flesh and throw it on the mat."

This jiu jitsu match should be a grueling affair and with two such burly individuals tussling for supremacy some excitement is bound to be provided. There will also be a preliminary jiu jitsu match between Japanese wrestlers weighing 168 pounds and the best catch-as-catch-can bout between the best middleweight wrestlers on the coast. Fifty cents will be charged for the gallery and one dollar for the reserved seats.

Mr. Johnston, owner of the horse Polaris Grande, and J. J. O'Keefe, president of a tipping bureau, were ruled off the track and the track was closed. The order was issued in the name of the stewards of the New California Jockey Club yesterday afternoon as a result of an alleged fake advertising scheme which was being run by the capacity of a purveyor of tips. Information was given to the stewards of the track, and in which Johnston is said to have participated. According to the information given out by the stewards, Johnston, O'Keefe, and the owner of the horse on which he advised play, in order that the prospective player might satisfy himself that the information came from the inside at first hand, went to the track and with the curiosity of the stewards and a detective was sent to investigate. The sleuth went to O'Keefe's office, introduced himself as a detective, and asked to see the horse owner in his absence. O'Keefe said that the horse he was was one of last year's vintage. The detective reported his experiences to the stewards and the owner of the horse immediately followed him. During the evening the New California Jockey Club made the charge that last season Johnston had attempted to persuade him to ride a certain horse with electric saddle, which was fitted with batteries arranged in a fashion intended to spur the animal to extraordinary efforts.

Jockey Kirschbaum was set down for three days by the judges for his ride on Amy Allen, which was entered in the first race yesterday.

Mr. Johnston, which was entered in the first race yesterday, was ordered scratched on account of the fact that he was not in the track. The horse was being trained by ex-jockey John MacNicol, who was ruled off the track for two years ago. MacNicol had prepared the horse at Tanforan and turned it over to D. W. Donnelly, the owner, on Tuesday.

Johnny Miller's Carrie Thatcher had bad racing luck in the youngster's race.

Indications point to the make-up of the Derby field from the following list of entries: Joe Nealon, Matinee, Early Tide, Glob, Goliath, Import, Billy, Meek, Papaya, Darlington, Husky, Coyne, C. W. Bush, Center Shot, St. Avon. Hildreth will furnish the favorite in Meek.

Trainer Buxton handled Jack Case \$500 to bet on Prestige. He averaged \$20 to 1 for Buxton's money.

The Hildebrands put one under the bookies when Modena just got up and won the baby race.

Cascade of Diamonds was the good thing that did not slitter. Tom Ramsey's mare was handed around for a good thing to take the first race.

Jockey Fisher showed get more mounts. The boy is riding in great form.

Jack Crane and his friends sent it in on John H. Sheehan. They cashed the bet.

Charley Clark, son of the millionaire copper king, was the center of attraction at Williams Park yesterday.

Several get-rich-quick men were blessed out of the track yesterday by the Pinks.

Big Ed Henry (Yellow) grabbed himself a new job when the St. Louis Club cut it for a three days' duration.

NEW BANK ROLL—Billy Moseley presided over the St. Louis Club yesterday.

Matt Rice wagered \$100 on Belle of Iroquois. He averaged 9 to 5 for his money.

NOT OFFICIAL—Someone started a noise around the track to the effect that the meeting would be extended.

Bookmaker Columbia Jones mingled with the groundhogs yesterday.

Williams Co., 15 Bacon Block, Oakland, Cal.

IMPORT EASILY DEFEATS FIELD IN THE DERBY TRIAL

Healey's Colt Romps All the Way—Buxton Contingent Make Big Clean-Up on the Victory of Prestige.

BY LEE DEMIER.

Six of the speediest hang-tails in training will sport silk in the Redwood Handicap at a mile, which will be decided today, and with the track in its present good condition a thrilling contest should develop.

Yesterday's racing meet at Williams Park was a tempest one, and a large crowd turned out to do it justice. Two attractive features, the Derby Trial and the Arviso Handicap, were down for decision and each brought together a high-class field.

The Derby Trial, of course, was of even interest to themselves, as it doesn't give a chance to any of the dangerous factors in the big California Derby, which is so close at hand. Standley Fay and Early Tide, two of the Arviso Handicap, were withdrawn from the list of overnight nominees, which left a field of seven shifty three-year-olds to jockey for the purse.

Import, on recent performances, was most favored, and was at all times favorite. The Healey colt ran right to his best form and just ran right all the way. Charley Clark had been finished like a whiplash in the stretch and defeated Saint Moden. The latter ran an improved race and is right on edge. The others were very wimpy and checked it up after going six furlongs, so the winner was never troubled at all.

Belle of Iroquois, the favorite, made a show of her legs in the curtain-raiser, "Cricket." Kelly got her away from the wire, and she was running in fine style. The day was right for her, and she won the race and made the faint-hearted John H. Sheehan return to third position. With anything like an even break Pontotoc would have been closer up.

Pontotoc and Minnie Bright fought it out all the way down the stretch in the race for youngsters, but the former, which just as much as the latter, was in front until the wire was passed. Pontotoc did his best and dropped into the third place.

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Exchequer hursly has developed into the running foot, and indeed into a straight by winning the first race from wire to wire. Mac Amelia, under a weak finish, hung on long enough to be second from Pontotoc. Joe Coyne, the favorite, ran a great show.

Prestige was sent up from Arcadia by the Buxton contingent, primed for a running. The checks were sent in at odds ranging from 30s to 12s and no mistakes were made. Buxton had the big up and down, and he was the only one of the bunch that had no chance of being defeated. Tapir ran a good honest race but was not good enough to beat the good thing. Garbanzo got up in time to be third.

H. L. Wilson's game little sprinter, Gemini, was away winging in the Arviso Handicap, last on the card, and made a runaway race of it. Pinfold did his best, but he races over the sandy course at Washington last fall would indicate that he likes that difficult going.

The chestnut stallion Arabo has been added to the breeding bureau list and sent to Springville, N. Y., where he will be in charge of C. A. Richmond.

Bedouin, which raced last year in the name of R. H. Russell on account of a death in the family of Edward W. Jewell, will carry the Jewett colors this season.

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With R. M. Cassidy's Green, who is not a sound horse and cannot race well on a hard track, but he races over the sandy course at Washington last fall would indicate that he likes that difficult going.

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It is said that the Highland Park Jockey Club will give a running meeting at the Windsor track during the first three weeks of September.

It was reported last fall that Harry Payne Whitney would retire Brookline Nymph to the stud this spring, but it is now said that she will race again this year.

Running Water, in H. B. Durysa's stable at Sheepshead Bay, is said to have recovered from an attack of illness during the early winter and is looking as well now as any horse at the track.

Pontotoc made up an acre of ground in the first race.

Those that were left in on the ground floor fell to Cascade of Diamonds.

Whidden, a visitor from Arcadia, was put on until the cows came home. The Miller colt finished among the alpines.

Cashier Henry Flitter received a letter from Bookmaker Tom Shaw, who is at present making one of the biggest books in New York. Shaw writes that when he was with him he was \$10,000 loser, but now is \$10,000 to the good.

Jockey Rettig should be given a chance to ride.

Billy Pultman and St. Aven both stopped to a walk.

The money market was more than brisk during the afternoon.

Jack and Whidden could not raise a gallop.

Thirty-four bookmakers made the weight yesterday.

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(Signed) M. A. O'LEARY.

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—FEMALE.

A TRAINED nurse from the East would like care of invalid; reasonable. Address box 3473, Tribune.

A YOUNG lady wants position as maid. Call or write 3205 Washington st., 1st fl., Fruitvale.

OFFICES, stores and factories in this city are filled with workers secured through our ads.

STRONG boy to run errands and general office work; must be upstair. Must ride a bicycle and live in Oakland; wages \$20 a month to start. Address Box 3404, Oakland Tribune.

A WOMAN wants work, chamber work, with child 7 years; or housework. 118 45th st.

AN experienced Swedish second girl wishes position. 321 Linden.

COMPETENT stenographer with time to spare will do neat, accurate work. Apply room 5, 1116 Broadway.

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GIRL wants good home to do housework. Box 2293, Tribune.

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Apply with references. Miss A. 1020 Wood st.

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RELIEFABLE middle-aged German woman wants work as cook or housekeeper in family of adults; German cook. Post office, Watson A. Oakland.

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Northeast cor. 34th and Telegraph. FOR SALE—Buggy; cheap. Phone 9582.

HORSE and buggy for sale, \$30. 1305 Comstock ave., Merritt 37.

ONE black bay horse, weighing 1150 lbs., with harness and delivery; also a pair of cattle for Grayson. Own Co. from Modoc Co. Cal. F. J. King, Jr., City Hall Stables, 15th st.

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OFFICIAL RECORDS

DEEDS RECORDED TUESDAY, FEBRUARY 18, 1908.

Berkley Development Co., to Albert E. Berndt, lot 2, block 8, map of Berkeviev Park, portion of V. Peralta reserve, in Alameda county in Berkeley, 100x100, \$10.

Southern Pacific Co. (corporation) to The Morgan Oyster Co., beginning at point of line which is extension of course of line which is boundary line of 9.72 SW of SE boundary, extending N. 67.47, for second party, from which center of section 17, T. 5 S. R. 2 W., bears S 66.32, distant S 170.70 to point of line between 1st and 2d sections, N. 67.47, on said line, point from where the center of section 17 bears E 73.21, NE 15.51, to point on dividing line between tract 1 and 2, 1st section 17, NE 15.51, to point on SE boundary, SW 15.51, and S. 67.47, of an acre tract, SW 85.71 to beginning, containing 1.8 acres. Alameda county; 310.

Marcelli, and Julian E. Krisbaum to Carl, and Marcelli (single), lot 54, 55 feet frontage on S Clinton avenue 34 feet W from Chestnut and running S of uniform width to E line of town of Alameda, Alameda; 310.

San Francisco Savings Union to John C. Henry, (wife), lot 8, block 3, block tract, East Oakland, 100x100, \$10.

Walter H. Eggers, Brooklyn township; 100x100, F. College avenue, 130.88, S of Miller, and Sam, Sam A. Flemish, Los Angeles; R. R. Benhamen and wife, Portland; Ed Goodpaster, Marysville.

HOTEL ARLINGTON.

Mrs. W. Jones, Los Angeles; R. G. Hastings, San Francisco; S. C. Burch, and A. Knoge, and wife, Portland; Earle A. Towne, Binghamton, N. Y.; Tom Blair, Lodi; F. A. Jorgenson, San Francisco; A. Fisher, and wife, Chicago; D. McNally, Livermore; J. Day, and wife, H. T. Crooks, San Francisco.

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Mrs. E. Zellenbach, Los Angeles; A. L. Levin and wife, Swink, Penn.; W. C. Sharkey, A. L. Mitchell, J. F. Finley, New York; J. S. Jasenar, and wife, Cincinnati; P. Conroy, San Francisco; L. J. Brenner, and wife, Sacramento; F. E. Strum, Beneida; N. C. Bellings, Edward, and wife, Salt Lake City; A. McDonald, Seattle; N. W. Hull, A. W. N. C. Henry, and wife, Santa Cruz; W. C. Henry, Fresno.

HOTEL WATKINS.

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CHICAGO, Feb. 20.—Butter-steady; creamers, 12@2; dairies, 20@2.

Eggs—Steady, at mark, cases included, 32@24.

NEW YORK, Feb. 20.—Lead, quiet, \$3.65@3.75; Lake copper steady, 12@2.

Silver, 36@4.

NOTICE.

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Signed, L. W. NEWTON, Pres.

R. M. HAMB, Secy.

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WAR TALK IS NONSENSE
SAYS AMBASSADOR REID

Declares There Is No Possibility
of Clash With Japan.

NEW YORK, Feb. 20.—Whitelaw Reid, Ambassador of the United States to Great Britain, in a speech last night at the dinner of the Pilgrims of the United States, declared that talk of the obligations of Great Britain to sustain Japan in war against the United States was nonsense. The ambassador said that there was not the ghost of a possibility of war with Japan, and that there was every reason to think the Japanese are sincerely our friends.

Our relations with Great Britain, the ambassador said, were cordial, and there were no serious complications. The ambassador was given an ovation when he arose to speak by the 400 members of the Pilgrims of the United States and their guests. Joseph H. Choate, ex-ambassador to Great Britain, was toastmaster.

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LAND FRAUD PRISONER
MUST NOW FACE TRIAL

Horace G. McKinley Back From
Adventures in Orient.

Horace G. McKinley, Oregon land fraud
prisoner, arrived in San Francisco by
steamer from China yesterday and is now
on his way to Oregon in charge of of-
ficers.

McKinley is implicated in the Oregon
land frauds. After his arrest in 1906,
McKinley suddenly disappeared, leaving
his bondsmen in the lurch to the extent
of \$5000, and after having married his
stenographer to prevent her, it is said, from
testifying against him. He was next heard from at Shanghai, where he
was seen. It is said, in the company of a
woman who had been known in San
Francisco as "Little Egypt."

McKinley escaped from a Chinese jail
disguised as a woman. He was saved
from re-capture by Chinese pirates and
hid for several days in a Chinese coffin.
He was arrested in Harbin while dis-
guised as a Russian peasant.

The Jumping Off Place.
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CARD TOURNAMENT
NETS LARGE SUM
FOR CHARITY

Society Out in Full Force for
Sunshine Room
Benefit.

The card tournament last evening at
Elbow hall for the benefit of Fabrice hos-
pital was in the nature of a family party
after all, despite the protests of the so-
ciety and charity workers who have in-
sisted that the general public was in-
vited. It was primarily a society affair
although a number of guests were
present who had no intimate interest in
the sunshine pavilion for the little sick
children at Fabrice.

Men Enthusiastic.
Among the most enthusiastic players
for the various prizes were those in
the gallery of the auditorium and in
the reception halls small groups gathered
and found diversion in watching the
players in competition with one another.
The cards, which were very popular,
were auctioned off the guests re-
mained as supper and their announce-
ments were made of the disposal of
prizes.

Prizes Contributed.
The following contributed prizes for the
tournament: Mrs. W. G. Henshaw, silver
and enamel card case; Mrs. Rupert
Whitehead, cut glass bon bon dish; Mrs.
Isaac Requa, ruby glass loving cup; Mrs.
E. Bishop, silver cigarette case; Mrs. E.
G. French, Japanese vase; Mrs. E.
Soule, brass and copper loving cup; Mrs.
R. B. Phelps Jr., brass vase; Mrs. Wright,
decorated China vase; Mrs. Wickham
green crystal candlestick and two cut
glass bowls; Mrs. W. G. Gaskins,
china loving cup; Mrs. W. P. Cole,
brown derby jar; Mrs. Hugh Hogan,
brass vase; Mrs. H. P. Lessing, teak-
wood table; Evelyn Hussey, brass bowl
and cigar case; Mrs. John Hampton,
silver and enamel compote; Mrs. H.
Taylor, pompadour writing pad; H. C.
Capwell, leopard skin purse; Taft & Pen-
noyer, Royal Cox vase; Kahn Bros.,
drawn work centerpiece; Abrahamson,
silver Smith, D. L. Lessing, silver
cigarette case; Mrs. Frank Havens, Chinese
desk book; Mrs. A. Schilling, cut glass
book; Mrs. Oscar Luning, French night
light; Mrs. E. G. French, silver and
silver compote; Rosenthal, five dollar
silver order; Webster, photograph order;
Sunset Grocery Company, six cans partie
de foie gras; Howell-Dohrman, Lessing
silver glass compote; Mrs. J. K. Kuhns order for
42.50; Bowring Co., traveling case; Owl
Drug Co., silver flask; Lohmhardt's, two
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order; C. H. Wood, auto goggles.

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BIGAMIST IS ARRESTED
BY POLICE OF CHICAGO

GIRL HE WEDDED
NOT TO SUE HIM

Police Endeavor in Vain to Get
Hazel Lewis-McCune to
Prosecute.

Heads of the local police department
have received information from Chi-
cago officials that George R. McCune, ac-
cused of having been married a year
ago to Miss Hazel Ruth Lewis of 5590
San Pablo avenue, and who had a
wife at the time living in St. Louis, is
under arrest in the Windy City on a
misdeameanor charge. The Chicago of-
ficials will hold McCune provided the
Oakland police will want to bring him to
this city on a charge of bigamy. Miss
Lewis has been asked by the police to
swear out a complaint, and if she
does, McCune will be brought to
Oakland for trial. The girl's mother
says she will not swear to the com-
plaint.

It was something over a year ago
that McCune, who represented himself
as a man of wealth and single, gained
the consent of Miss Lewis to marry him.

Some time after the wedding it was
learned that McCune had a wife living in St. Louis, and McCune
left the State. Miss Lewis was pro-
trated over the deception practiced
upon her and had appealed to the
police for aid in locating and prosecut-
ing the man. Miss Lewis is a stu-
dent at the Polytechnic High School
and a young woman of charming ap-
pearance.

To Make No Complaint.

Mrs. M. A. Lewis, mother of the
young woman, said this morning:
"My daughter has not heard from
one block to Broadway

BUILDING TRADES
TO TAKE ACTION

A score of union carpenters have
decided to work as non-union men and ac-
cept a wage of a dollar instead of \$1.50
for the first story apartment house
under construction at Oak and Ninth
streets. Members of the Building Trades
Council, at a meeting held last Tuesday
night, ruled that charges be preferred
against them and that the contractor, C.
MacDonald, and the head of the
laborers be held responsible for the
deception.

It is believed that the wage reduction
will follow his present policy of having
the union shop.

W. W. Macdonald, past president of the
District Council of Carpenters, declares
that the present union employees working
on the structure are "earthquake" car-
penters and that all of the best
mechanics quit on Saturday night when
the cut wage was announced. He
says that, though the union Miller
belongs to organized labor, action will
be taken against him by the council, as
also against the union carpenters, boss
union and contractors.

Rambo denied that the unions are
thinking of lowering the wage scale, but
stated that as long as living and rent
remain at the present cost, organized
labor will not be present.

Dick Hance, president of the
Carpenter's Council, has been trying to fix the trouble
but prospects of settlement are not very
rosy just at present. It is claimed
that out of thirty-six union men only
eight quit because of wage reduction.

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